

Cloudy, probably with showers tonight and Thursday; warmer tonight.

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MORSE AND PUTNAM IN DISPUTE OVER BILL

Sharp Shots and Sidelights at Council Meeting — Alderman Morse Refuses to Pay Water Bill

Discussion of bills owed the water department by the street department resulted in some sharp passes at the meeting of the municipal council this forenoon. Commissioner Putnam presented a bill for \$2,000, which Commissioner Morse sturdily refused to pay and filed a counter-bill for a little more than that amount. Mr. Morse declared that he would never pay the bill and while still declaiming and expostulating, the council voted that the street department must pay its water bill just like any other water taker. The bill against the street department was for two years and Mr. Putnam stated that a bill for one year, reckoned on the same basis as ordinary water bills, would be nearly \$3,000, a speech that betrayed Mr. Putnam's intention to apply the regular water rate to the street department. It was some meeting.

The mayor called to order at about 10:30 o'clock and read two legal forms relative to the seizure of land in Fourth avenue for the proposed extension of the Pawtucketville grammar school and land in Kirk and Anne streets for the proposed high school, all of which resulted in the council voting the mayor the authority to sign the necessary papers.

Boutwell Brothers petitioned for a license to keep gasoline and a garage and the petition was set down for a hearing on Wednesday, May 31, at 10

o'clock in the forenoon.

The petition of Herman S. Ellbur of 40 First street for license as a private detective was referred to the law department.

The council then took up the matter of bus stands in Paige street, but nothing definite was arrived at. Patrick Keegan wants to occupy the stand granted by the council to Amos Best. "My Best," said the mayor, "was the first to come to us and we granted him the stand. If we allow another man to occupy the same stand there is bound to be a conflict." It was then decided to let the matter rest for the present, Mr. Morse agreeing to make further investigation.

Notice of personal injury claim by Julia Cote of 495 Pawtucket street was referred to the law department.

The Lowell Motor Mart applied for permission to sell gasoline at 140 Ford street and 47 Merrimack street, and the matter was referred to Commissioner Putnam and First Chief Sammers. The same company applied for a permit to erect and use an ornamental gasoline pump at its store in Thiden street and the permit, on recommendation of Commissioner Morse, was granted.

Potum-Morse Controversy
When the mayor asked if there was

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BRANDEIS CASE PINDER HEARING

Reopening of Public Hearings Ordered by Senate Committee

Appeal of Former City Messenger From the Mayor's Decision

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Reopening of public hearings on the nomination of Louis D. Brandeis to the supreme court was ordered today by the senate judiciary committee for inquiring into Mr. Brandeis' connection with a proposed merger several years ago of the United Cigar Stores company, and the Riker-Hegemann chain of drug stores. Louis K. Liggett, of Boston and George W. Anderson, United States attorney at Boston, have been summoned to appear in that connection.

The motion to reopen the hearings was made by Senator Sutherland, republican of Utah, who said some information recently had come to him in connection with the proposed merger which never was consummated and on which it is said Mr. Brandeis was consulted in an advisory capacity.

There was no general discussion of the new phase of the case, and the whole committee adjourned without further action until next Monday. No time was fixed for a vote on the nomination.

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PERJURY CHARGE

Counsel for Officers of Riggs Bank Concludes Opening Statement

WASHINGTON, May 10.—John B. Stanchfield, counsel for the three officers of the Riggs National bank on trial here for perjury, concluded his opening statement to the jury today. A few government witnesses were called but not examined and then government counsel read the charge by the bank in its injunction suit last year against Secretary McAdoo and Comptroller of the Currency Williams that these officials conspired to wreck it.

Mr. Stanchfield declared he proposed to show that the affidavit on which the perjury charge is based, reciting that the bank never had any stock transactions through a defunct local brokerage house, was drawn by counsel for the bank in the injunction suit, that it was understood by the three indicted men as declaring the bank never had dealt in stocks for itself, and that it was so explained and taken by the court that heard the suit.

John P. Mulvey of Lebanon, N. H., was instantly killed yesterday afternoon when he was run over by a freight train from which he fell. The young man was about 20 years of age and he was ground to pieces by the train, while hundreds of shoe workers looked on as the fast freight train on which he was riding raced through the city. The fatality occurred near the covered bridge of the Boston & Maine railroad at Essex street.

In the young man's pockets was found an envelope bearing the inscription "M. M. Longmire, 219 Moody street, Lowell, Mass." The body was removed to the funeral parlors of an undertaker and later will be removed to the home at Lebanon, N. H.

JAS. E. O'DONNELL
Counselor at Law
ROOM 220, 45 MERRIMACK ST.

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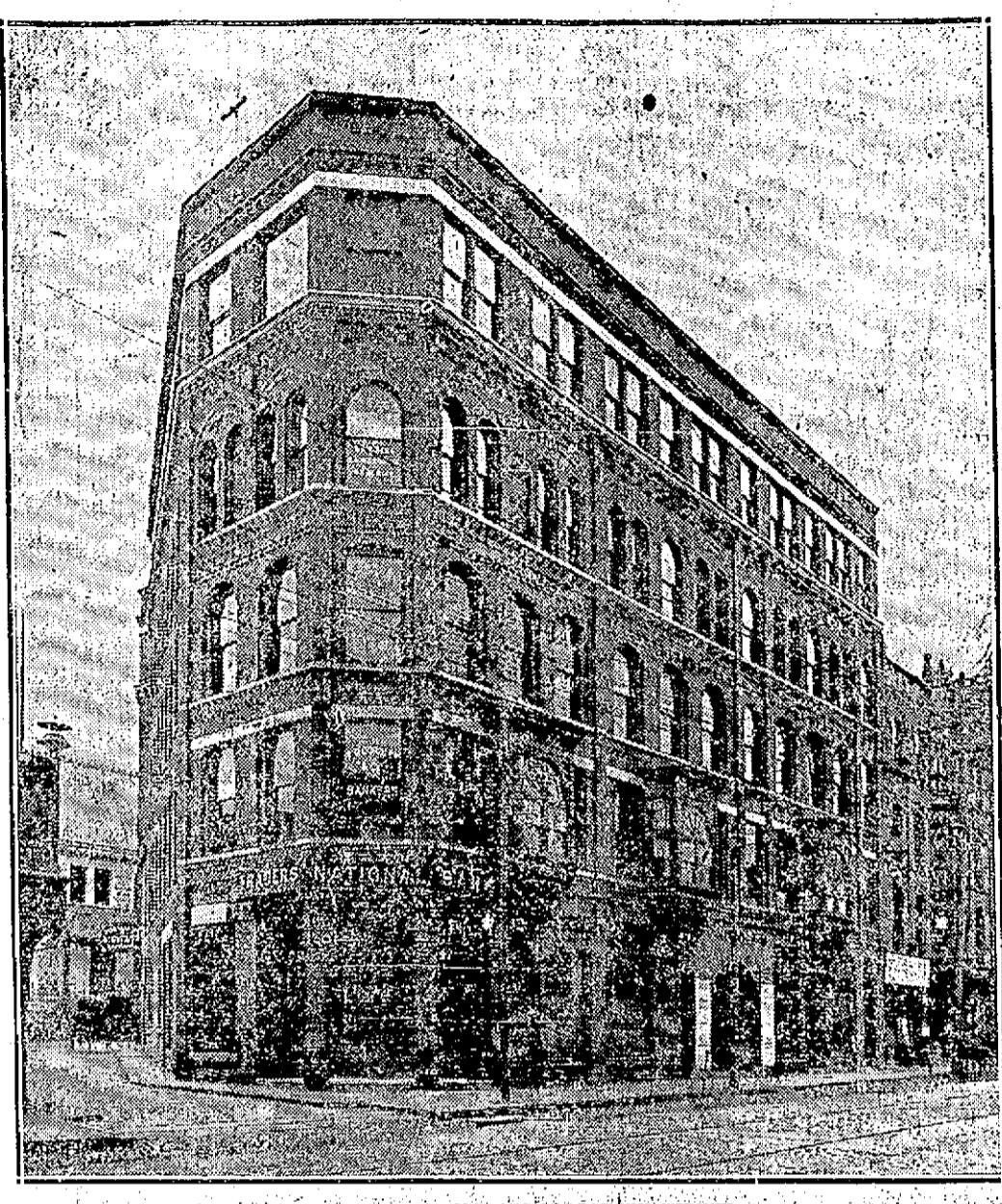
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BERLIN ADMITS U-BOAT TORPEDOED THE SUSSEX

British Destroyer Damaged in Naval Battle Off Belgian Coast —Other War News

A new note on the Sussex case has been handed Ambassador Gerard by the Berlin foreign office. The note is now on the way to Washington.

According to a despatch from Amsterdam admission is made in Berlin following the investigation into the Sussex incident that it can no longer be doubted that a German submarine torpedoed the Sussex on the supposition that the vessel attacked was a warship.

GERMAN FORCES HAVE PENETRATED 70 MILES INTO GER-

MAN EAST AFRICA

PARIS, May 10.—Belgian forces have penetrated 70 miles into German East Africa, according to an official statement issued today by the Belgian war department at Havre. Gen. Tomboué, in command of the African expedition, reports that a Belgian column which crossed the German frontier near Rubanga has advanced to the eastern shore of Lake Mohasi, the German forces retreating in the direction of Lake Victoria Nyanza, 70 miles to the east.

BRAZIL DEMANDS INDEMNITY

Brazil will demand indemnity from Germany for the striking by submarine of the Brazilian steamer Rio Branco, according to a Rio Janeiro despatch.

LULL IN VERDUN REGION

Paris reports diminishing activity in the Verdun region following the desperate fighting of the past few days. On both banks of the Meuse the artillery fire has slackened, that on the east of the river being described as intermittent.

GERMAN ATTACK CHECKED

A German attack on the French lines near Moulin-Sous-Touvent was completely checked.

BERLIN REPORTS GAINS

Berlin reports the extension of the German positions on Hill 304, northwest of Verdun, recently captured from the French and the driving back of French detachments southwest of the hill.

BRITISH DESTROYER DAMAGED

A British destroyer was badly damaged by gunfire during a brief engagement off the Belgian coast on May 8 between British and German torpedo craft, a German admiral statement announces.

TWO FRENCH BALLOONS BROKE FROM MOORINGS LAND NEAR HANOVER

BERLIN, May 9, via London, May 10.—Two of the French balloons which broke from their moorings in the French lines in France on Saturday landed near Hanover. One of the balloons was manned by a crew of three soldiers, apparently officers, who have not yet been captured.

ATTACK ON VERDUN IS BASED ON CRUSHING EFFECT OF GERMAN ARTILLERY

BERLIN, May 10.—(By wireless to Sayville.)—The German attack on Verdun is based on the crushing effect of German heavy artillery, writes Maj. Morath, military critic of the Tageblatt.

"The capture of the smaller fortresses in the west at the beginning of the war by the use of heavy artillery was only a prelude to the artillery operations now in progress.

"The French have not been able to compete with German artillery and ammunition. The enormous losses of the French are due partly to the effect of the German artillery and partly to the tenacity of the French who will not abandon their trenches.

"Although it is generally considered that attacking forces must be four times superior to those of the defense, in the Verdun campaign, the number of German troops engaged is much less than half that of the French. The number of French troops may be calculated at not less than 80,000. This figure represents half of the entire force which France still has at her disposal for active fighting.

"All the German successes on the eastern and western fronts were gained with numerically inferior forces. Moreover, the Austro-Hungarian troops for a year have been holding back twice their number of the

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LOWELL PLAYS BRIDGEPORT IN FIRST LOCAL LEAGUE GAME OF THE 1916 SEASON



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President



HARRY LORD
Manager



JOHN P. CONNOR
One of the Owners

Preceded by an automobile parade, flag raising and other exercises, the Lowell baseball team played its first home game in the newly organized Eastern League at Spalding park this afternoon. Though the weather was doubtful and cloudy, the game held off and the game started at 3 o'clock, with a good sized attendance. Starting from headquarters of the Lowell baseball club the parade, consisting of 14 automobiles, containing the members of the municipal council, team owners and members of the Lowell team and newspaper representatives and headed by the Sixth Regiment band, proceeded up Merrimack street, around Monument square, back Merrimack to Central, and then to the railroad station in Middlesex street, where the Bridgeport players, who were several hours late in arriving, were met at 1:45 o'clock.

With the Bridgeport players in line the parade returned down Middlesex street, through Central street to Merrimack square and then to the ball park. Several hundred spectators, including many women, witnessed the parade from the sidewalks all along the route and greeted the Lowell players.

The Lowell players appeared in their new white uniforms for the first time, and the visitors appeared in their dark gray travelling suits. The Lowell team took the field for practice first and Manager Lord put his men through a fast workout. It was the first opportunity that Lowell fans had to look the players over since the league opened. Manager Lord was satisfied with the showing made by his team during the 12 days' trip through the cities in the southern end of the circuit and was confident that Lowell will give a much better performance than on the recent trip. Much depends on the pitching staff.

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SIX DAY BAZAAR

Big Event for St. Louis' Church—Big Attendance—Fine Program

A large attendance, exceptionally good business and a varied entertainment program marked the opening of the six-day bazaar in the parochial school of St. Louis' parish last evening, the event being given under the auspices of the various church and fraternal organizations of the parish for the benefit of the new church now under construction. The attractive

Correspondence was prevented in a very commendable way by Mrs. O. J. David and Arcelle Brunelle. The various sales tables and those in charge were as follows:

Children of Mary Sodality, dolls and actions—Chairman, Miss Lucie Mallet; aids, Misses Alida Ducharme, Christine Ducharme, Marie Anne Ouellette, Eva Leguin, I. Dallaire, C. Daigle, Y. and A. Lafontaine, C. Caron, E. Dupuis, C. Hebert, A. Bourassa, R. A. Ducharme, P. Calso, I. Mongrain, Eva Caron and others.

Parish table—Chairman, Adelard St. Jean; Mrs. Joseph Lemieux, Mrs. J. A. Polisy, Miss Marie Albert, Odile Dauphin, Louis Ferland, Albert St. Jean, Miss Maria Asselin, Mrs. W. Asselin, Miss Marie A. Therriault, Miss Rose St. Jean, Mrs. A. Jodoin, Misses Blanche and Rose Roussel, Mrs. M. Roussel and A. Roussel, and Miss Blanche Jodoin.

Sacred Heart League, hoop-la and bonbons—Chairman, Elzear Massé; Charles Bourret, Auguste Desmarais, H. P. Boudreau, Hector Jodoin, Wilfrid Desmarais, Edouard Landry and Henry Champagne.

Branch St. Louis, A.C.F.—Chairman, Joseph Guillette; H. Poirier, Thomas Savard, Arsene and Armand Trudeau; Tonics, Court St. Louis, F.P.A.—Chairman, Auguste Jodoin; Damien Maille, Olivier Maille, Joseph Levy, Henry Lepine and Harry Deceille.

Centralville Social Club, Dame Fortune—Chairman W. Vincent; A. Bruchaud, Lucius Maynard, Alfred Jean Marie, Alfred Lassler, Wilfrid Pigeon and A. Emond.

Garde St. Louis, novelties—Chairman, Xavier Aubry; Edmund Gamache, Julie Morissette, David Lamontagne and Arsene Guy.

Former girl students of St. Louis' school—Chairman, Miss Marguerite Delorme, Almina Demers, Alice Desmarais, Althe Dallaire, Eva Despres, Antoinette and Evangelie Chauvin, Lina Patenaude, Louise Benoit, L. Hardy, M. Renaud and A. Daigle.

Ste. Anne Sodality—Chairman, Mrs. G. Caron; Mrs. N. Gadbois, Mrs. A. Bellemarie, Mrs. T. Savard, Mrs. A. Bruchaud, Mrs. E. Bolduc, Mrs. W. Parent, Mrs. E. Martin, Mrs. J. Michaud, Mrs. L. Favreau, Mrs. R. Monnier, Mrs. A. Gervais, Mrs. E. Mercier, Mrs. J. d'Amour, Mrs. A. Chaput, Mrs. J. Prieur, Mrs. A. Maillet, Mrs. A. Dumas and Mrs. Therberge.

Third Order of St. Francis Sodality—Chairman, Eugene Vincent, Mrs. Wilfrid Gendreau, Mrs. Calixte Lequin, Mrs. Elie N. Breault, Mrs. Theodore Hamon, Mrs. Auguste Desmarais, Mrs. L. Lord, Mrs. Joseph Lambert, Mrs. Ida Lambert, Mrs. Philomene Larose and Mrs. B. Asselin.

Former boy students of St. Louis' school—Chairman, Armand Vlaut, Paul Polisy, Leo Demers, Stephen Toupin and Leothe Vian.

The general committee in charge of the bazaar is as follows: Chairman, Pierre Brousseau; aids, Charles Bourret and Mrs. Godfrey Caron; secretary, Miss Marie S. Maillet; and treasurer, Rev. J. B. Labossiere, pastor.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Several interesting reports were submitted at the regular meeting of Court Merrimack, No. 11, Foresters of America, held last evening in Grafton hall. Edward J. McInernay presided. Four applications for membership were read and two candidates were voted upon. The woodwards reported that these brothers are convalescing: Thomas McCabe, Thomas Hayden, John Lyons, Hugh McLean and Joseph Boyd. Under the head of new social and many other matters of importance were transacted. Under the head of the order remarks were made by John Barrett, Richard J. Townsend, James A. Hearn and John F. Sullivan. At the close of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed.

ECHO LODGE, N.E.O.P.

The regular meeting of Echo Lodge, N.E.O.P., was held last evening in Post 185 hall with a large attendance. It was announced that Deputy Grand Warden Dora N. Cole, accompanied by Grand Warden Asa Smith, will visit the lodge at the next meeting. A committee consisting of Oswald J. Bertrand,

P. A. BROUSSEAU
Chairman General Committees

sales tables in various corners of the hall, the splendid decorations, the numerous electric bulbs and the fine garments worn by the members of the fair sex, all added greatly to the brilliancy of the occasion.

In attendance were people from all parts of the city as well as several from out-of-town and a brisk business was the feature of the evening. The guests were welcomed by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Labossiere, who in a brief address explained the purpose of the bazaar and he informed his listeners with the completion of the new church building Lowell will possess another splendid temple of which the French-Americans of this city and particularly of West Centralville, will be proud. He also stated that the hall will be open for the bazaar on the evenings of May 13, 15, 18, 20 and 22.

During last evening a varied musical program was given by Cornell's orchestra, while M. Clermont, a slack-wire artist performed much to the delight of the audience. A clever one-act sketch entitled "Amour par une acte" was presented.

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COMING TO THIS CITY**HAVERHILL PASTOR ACCEPTS CALL TO PAWTUCKET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH IN THIS CITY**

Rev. Arthur G. Lyon of Haverhill has accepted a call to the Pawtucket Congregational church in this city. Rev. Mr. Lyon is now pastor of the Riverside Memorial church in Haverhill and to his congregation Sunday evening he announced his decision to accept the call to Lowell, in the following letter:

My Dear Friends: I feel that the time has come for me to bring my labors with this church to a close. The few years that have been spent with you have been attended by a constant and faithful growth, and what measures of success I have had is due to your loyal co-operation and self-sacrificing service.

I do not expect to find more congenial friends nor happier surroundings than have been in this city and especially at Haverhill. For eight years I have preached in Haverhill, this being my second pastorate here, and both my family and myself are reluctant to leave so many helpful associations.

In tendering my resignation this time I wish to say that I do it with the conviction that it will be best for both this church and myself. Therefore, I ask that you accept my resignation as pastor and teacher of the Riverside Memorial church, acting with the advice of a council, the same to take effect at a subsequent date to be mutually agreed upon.

As an appetizing, restorative tonic, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery sets at work all the processes of digestion and nutrition, and builds up flesh and strength.

It arouses the little muscular fibres into activity and causes the gastric juices to thoroughly mix with the food you eat, simply because it supplies the stomach with pure, rich blood.

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It is the world's proved tonic and blood purifier. Contains no alcohol and it's put up in tablets as well as liquid.

Start to take it to-day and before another day has passed, the impurities of the blood will begin to leave. Send 10c for large trial package of Dr. Pierce's tablets.

THE BOARD OF TRADE**BOARD WITHDRAWS USE OF ITS NAME FOR BAND—NEW MEMBERS ADMITTED**

A monthly meeting of the directors of the Lowell Board of Trade was held on the last evening in the rooms of the organization in Central street, and a feature of the meeting was the drafting of an amendment to the consti-

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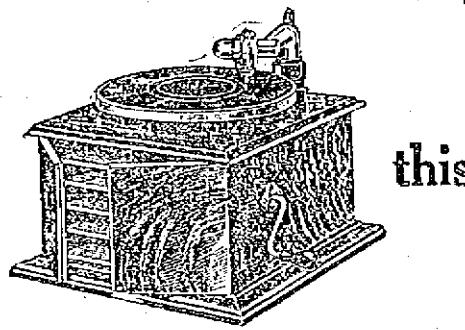
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were appointed to provide an entertainment for that evening.

tution to make up the directorate of the board on the basis of one director for each 25 of the membership. This amendment will be presented at the annual meeting to be held on June 7.

The meeting also discussed and acted upon several referenda sent by the chamber of commerce of the United States, which had previously been passed upon by the following committee: A. D. Milliken, chairman; John H. Harrington, Gardner W. Macartney, C. J. Hood, and Capt. William P. White, U.S.N., retired.

A vote of appreciation was extended

to Secretary John H. Murphy for his inspiring and successful efforts in securing the new factory building in Middlesex street. The following committee was appointed to make nominations to be acted upon at the annual meeting: Thomas J. O'Donnell, Judge F. A. Fisher and A. D. Milliken. Permission was revoked for the use of the names "Board of Trade band" and "Board of Trade orchestra." The following new members were initiated at last evening's meeting: American Woolen Co. (five), Hamilton Burrage, Edward Fontaine, Joseph Burke, Arthur J. Brown, W. W. Buzzell, Daniel J. Whaley, R. E. Gaffey, George Dehney, Ernest G. Buttrick, Sam Kolzen, Clarence L. van Horne, J. Howard Pillman, R. R. Melton, Dr. A. J. Italpin, Robert Robertson, George B. Wright, John H. Harrington and Fred K. Burt.

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PRIDE FOR PRES. WILSON**ADDRESS BY E. T. MEREDITH AT DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION AT CLINTON, IOWA**

CLINTON, Iowa, May 10.—Praise for President Wilson and his administration today was the feature of the speech delivered to the democratic

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No one was killed and no serious injuries are reported.

PASSENGER TRAIN DITCHED
PORTSMOUTH, O., May 10.—A Norfolk & Western passenger train was derailed at Mineral Springs, O., near here, last night, an engine and four coaches going over an embankment.

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The Matin says the American note places Germany in a cruel dilemma, her suggestions having been rejected, but her promises registered so that they will have to be kept. It continues:

"It must be clear to all neutrals that Germany has suffered an unprecedented diplomatic defeat. It will be interesting to see how the German government explains to the public that it has consented radically to modify submarine warfare without obtaining the slightest compensation in exchange."

One of the most important points to be noted in regard to the American reply, in the opinion of the Petit Parisien, is that it ignores the allusion in the German note to the chancellor's two declarations in the refuting in regard to peace negotiations. This paper says:

"Emperor William, desired to catch President Wilson in a trap, the emperor is caught in his own toils. He has met his master. There remains nothing for him to do except either to accept the American note at the risk of loosing the fury of the German governmental parties or to take upon himself the initiative in bringing about a rupture which would entail serious consequences for Germany."

THINK U-BOAT DISPUTE OVER
Washington Officials Expect No Reply From Berlin—Believe Cymric Forfeited Immunity

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REPLY BEACHES BERLIN
BERLIN, May 9, 10:30 p.m., via London, May 10, 3:45 a.m.—President Wilson's reply to Germany, accepting Germany's promise of a change in her methods of submarine warfare, has reached Berlin, but has not yet been handed to the German government by Ambassador Gerard.

HELD MILITARY WHIST
ENJOYABLE SOCIAL EVENT IN LINCOLN HALL FOR ST. PETER'S ORPHANAGE

One of the most successful social events conducted in Lincoln hall this season was the military whist party and dance given last evening in aid of St. Peter's orphanage. The hall was prettily decorated with colored bunting, outlining the balcony front and streamers extending from the sides to a chandelier in the centre. Tables were set on the main floor and the whist was enjoyed by a large number of young people. The prize winners were as follows: Ladies—First, Miss Marlette Gorstey; second, Miss Lucy Spillane; third, Miss Rose Dowd. Gents—First, Mr. Mullins; second, Stephen Shelye. Following the whist dancing was indulged in until midnight with Doyle's orchestra furnishing the music. The committee in charge was: Chairman, Mrs. Henry L. Roarke; Miss Lulu Ginty, Miss Jessie McKeon, Daniel O'Dea, Cornelius J. O'Neill and Arthur T. Cull.

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Butter, lb. 36c

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FLOUR, 24 1-2
Lb. Bag... 78c
98 lbs. Ben Hur \$3.00

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Haddock, lb. 3½
Bloaters Mackerel, each 29c

RIVERS AND HARBORS BILL
WASHINGTON, May 10.—Senator Kenyon, republican, who had spoken against the rivers and harbors bill for several hours when the senate recessed last night, concluded his speech to day.

Senators Sherman, who with Senator Kenyon, signed a minority report against the bill, was prepared to speak when the senator from Iowa yielded the floor.

SINKING OF BRAZILIAN SHIP
RIO JANIEIRO, May 10.—The German minister, replying to the note of the Brazilian government in regard to the sinking of the British steamer, Rio Branco by a German submarine, informed the chancellor to day that his government undoubtedly would receive willingly any compensation on the subject addressed to it by Brazil. The minister also expressed his gratification that the crew of the Rio Branco had been saved. As soon as the official inquiry into the sinking of the ship is concluded a demand for indemnity will be presented to Berlin.

LOWELL'S YEAR BOOK
Official of the Lowell board of trade have started this morning on compiling their year book and they hope to have the pamphlet out about the middle of the summer. The volume this year will be different from all others published thus far by the board, for it will be in the form of a "World's Almanac" for Lowell, inasmuch as it will contain considerable information concerning Lowell, her industries, her business and considerable other data which will prove of some benefit to the public in general.

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If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.



EVERYBODY LOOKS FORWARD TO Cherry & Webb's Annual May Sale

Our buyers in New York last week were busy rounding up garments up to the Cherry & Webb standard. The labor strike is on; not a wheel moving; 75,000 operatives idle. We want to protect you and are prepared with a heavy stock. We want quick action and COMMENCING TODAY we will show our supremacy by quoting you prices that will make a record. So don't delay, but be on hand and get your share.

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On Sale in Fashion Basement.

225 Coats—Coverts, Checks, Mixtures. New advanced models. All \$12.98 values. Choice..... \$8.98

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Women's and Misses' \$15 Coats—Advance models. Coverts, Mixtures and Checks; showing the latest collars. Choice..... \$10.50



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CASES IN POLICE COURT THE MEXICAN SITUATION

Fine of \$50 for Selling Hard Cider—Stroila Gets 18 Months —Youths Stole Auto

Ammunition for Bandits Seized— Hawaiian Militia Volunteers Services—Conference Resumed

John A. Hastings, who conducts a small variety store in Lawrence street, was fined \$50 this morning in police court by Judge Enright for the illegal sale of liquor. Through his counsel, Edward J. Tierney, he appealed and was held in the sum of \$400 for his appearance before the superior court.

It is claimed that Hastings sold cider which contained more alcohol than the law allows to employees of the U. S. Cartridge Co., and a complaint was made against him by officials of the company. Testifying in his own behalf Hastings said that he purchased the cider, believing it to be sweet cider, and that he did not know that it contained alcohol.

Patrick Doyle was arrested yesterday on a charge laid by Probation Officer Shattuck for not paying a \$5 fine imposed some time last August. Judge Enright gave him one more month to pay the fine with a warning that if he failed to do so, he will go to jail.

John Souza was found lying in a yard in Adams street last night in an intoxicated condition. He will remain in the care of the local authorities until Saturday, when his case will be disposed of.

Francis E. Phelan, who has a wife in Pittsburgh, will spend a few days in jail until he sobered off, and then he will be allowed to go home.

SILK FISH LINE FACTORY BURNED ROCKVILLE, Conn., May 10.—The factory of E. J. Martin Sons, makers of silk fish lines, was burned early today. The loss is estimated at about \$150,000. The cause of the fire is not known.

O.M.I. CADETS TONIGHT

This will be a gala night for the O.M.I. Cadets as they will hold their annual exhibition and prize drill in Associate hall. Some fine features are provided and those who attend will find an evening of rare enjoyment.

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The situation in other parts of the Tunkhannock valley was declared by factory managers to be improved, and more men returned to work at McElroy's Mills, where employees of the Pressed Steel Car Co. have been striking.

Larceny Case

John Lira, who appeared on a complaint charging him with larceny of several articles from the homes of John Edwards and John O'Malley had his case continued until Saturday.

Fined \$10

Mrs. Kalliope Aggelinas, who it is alleged, certified to a material false statement in trying to obtain a working certificate for her son, Athanassios Aggelinas, on April 15, 1915, was fined \$10. According to the testimony of

rounds of rifle ammunition which Mexicans attempted to smuggle across the river into Mexico near here was confiscated by troops here today. It was believed the ammunition was intended for use of bandits in Mexico.

HAWAIIAN NATIONAL GUARD VOLUNTEERS

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Secretary Baker informed President Wilson today that the conference between Gen. Scott and Gen. Obregon last night was not conclusive and that it would be continued today. He indicated that the outlook was more favorable for an agreement being reached. The exact points of difference were not revealed.

Gen. Scott has advised Secretary Baker that no formal counter proposals have been submitted by Gen. Obregon, but that Obregon arranged to submit today a paper containing his views.

Secretary Baker today received from Gov. Pinchbeck of Hawaii a tender of the services of the Hawaiian National Guard.

NO ANSWER TO SCOTT'S MESSAGE TO OREGON

EL PASO, Tex., May 10.—No answer had been received early today from Washington to Gen. Scott's message reporting Gen. Obregon's proposal for a joint patrol of the international boundary.

Report Concurred Uprising

Unofficial reports were received that Mexican along the entire border had planned for today a concerted uprising. From Mazatlan on the west coast of Mexico, came word that the consul had been warned by anonymous letters that the consulate would be blown up. All Americans were urged to leave Mexico within 48 hours. These reports increased anxiety over the situation among officials today.

In addition to the 4000 soldiers and an equal number from Texas, New Mexico and Arizona, ordered to the border yesterday, Gen. Scott understood that he is prepared to cross into Mexico if he saw any chance of running down any of the bandits implicated in the raid of Glen Springs and Boquillas.

ARMY'S BIGGEST FIELD GUNS LEAVE FOR BORDER LAWTON, Ok., May 10.—All the artillery stationed at Fort Sill, Ok., near here, was ordered yesterday afternoon to make hasty preparations and entrain immediately for service on the Mexican border. Batteries B, C, D, E and F containing the largest field guns in the United States, were embraced in the order. Each will require a special train. Each has 150 men and 120 horses.

U. S. SOLDIERS WRITE LETTERS WITH BULLETS

COLUMBUS, N. M., May 10.—One of the hundreds of bullets the American soldier boys are using to write letters to their wives, mothers or sweethearts may later kill Villa or some other Mexican bandit. The soldiers write most of their letters with bullets on the carbardine ends of shot boxes. Pens, pencils and stationery are among the equipment abandoned by the expedition, so it could travel light and fast.

Several of the shot box letters state that these are "written with the bullet that's going to kill Villa." The shot box letters are delivered un-stamped, as postal cards. A big bag full of them arrives here every few days by aeroplane.

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DURANGO VERY RICH

STATE WITH AN AREA EQUAL TO VIRGINIA IS RICH IN GOLD, SILVER AND OTHER METALS

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—The march of General Pershing's punitive expedition force to Durango, Mexico, has focused public interest on this state which has an area equal to Virginia and a population not exceeding that of New Hampshire, which is less than one-fourth as large. The National Geographic Society of Washington has issued an interesting and informative bulletin on this rich political division of the southern republic which says:

"Durango is surpassed in the number of its mining properties, aggregating more than 4000, by only two states in Mexico—Chihuahua and Sonora. Its natural resources include silver, gold, lead, tin, copper, sulphur and rubies. The state's wealth is not confined to minerals, however, for there are extensive forests of valuable timber and the agricultural resources are capable of almost unlimited de-

velopment, while 1,000,000 head of stock find rich pasture on its fertile tableland.

The Nazas river, which empties into Lake Casitas, is the principal waterway of the state. It is known as the Nile of Durango. In the spring, as the snow melts, the river inundates its valley, leaving a rich deposit of silt brought down from the mountains. After the waters have receded the land bursts into bloom like a miniature Egypt, cotton, barley, and wheat growing in great luxuriance, while the whole landscape assumes the aspect of a flower garden.

"One of the most interesting trees to be found on the mountain slopes of Durango is a species of pine the needles of which the Indians and Mexicans boil and use as a remedy for stomach troubles. Its taste is like that of anise seed. The wood of this tree is much used by the Indians in the manufacture of their primitive vessels.

"One of the products indigenous to Durango, but one of which the state does not boast, is a venomous species of scorpion whose sting is almost invariably fatal in the warm regions of the state but which is more painful than dangerous in the higher and cooler altitudes." In the vicinity of

Durango City 60,000 of these reptiles are killed annually, some of the natives making a business of destroying them, collecting from the municipality bounty of one centavo per scorpion.

"At an elevation of 6000 feet, the city of Durango, capital of the state, enjoys a matchless climate which has earned it the sobriquet, 'town of sunshine.' It is one of the oldest Spanish settlements in the republic, having been founded by Captain Ibarra two years before the followers of Don Pedro Menéndez de Aviles initiated the permanent colonization of the United States at St. Augustine. The site of the present city was reached by the adventurer and silver seeker Mercado, who in 1532 discovered the famous iron mountain, of the suburbs. When Ibarra arrived with his colonists the country was occupied by nomadic savages.

Durango derives its name from the old Spanish town of that name, in the Basque provinces.

Another good time, Frt. No. Billerica

AMUSEMENT NOTES**B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE**

Three headline features, utterly dissimilar in their methods of evoking interest, make one of the strongest batteries presented at the B. F. Keith theatre during the entire season. The present is the 37th and last week of vaudeville at this splendid theatre, and to close the season the management has provided a bill of novelty. Anna Chandler, one of the very best of singing comedienne in the land, is the underlined feature of the bill. Miss Chandler sings mostly, but she talks a little, particularly with relation to her closing number, the waltz song, "Rolling Stones." This latter number is absolutely new here and it is one of the most bewitching songs heard here in a long time. But it isn't one song that makes Miss Chandler's performance a hit, any more than one swallow makes a summer. There are several of them, and they are all good. She will rank as one of the season's biggest hits. Add Hoyt's minstrels, with Tom Clifford as the interlocutor, are specially pleasing. They follow the prescribed formula of minstrel performances, and therefore give tender ballads and comic numbers, and some rattling good ensembles. Lew Russell and Leo Pelletier, in their solos, are roundly applauded, and the refrains, taken up by the quintet, result in encores being demanded. But, after all, the end songs of Add Hoyt and John Forsman make the biggest hits of the performance. Both men are very good and Hoyt's "Fall River Lass" song, with local stanzas, pleases so well that audiences never get quite enough. James Diamond and Sibyl Brennan in "Fiftynonsense" are sure winners. Diamond is almost a whole show in himself. He is singer, comedian, acrobat and dancer, while Miss Brennan is exceedingly good to look upon, a good singer and a graceful dancer. They weave many good things into their act, and easily rank with some of the best performers of the entire season. Ed Gordon and Ida Day, in "Silent Nonsense," combine eccentric bicycling with comedy. Gordon is one of the best tramp comedians in the business, and in addition he is a very funny man on the wheel. Miss Day is as pretty as a picture and a good rider. In "The Politician," William Wilson & Co. have a farce comedy which is built purely for the purpose of causing laughter. Wilson has an explosive style about his work which is calculated to make one scream with delight. Cahill, Clifton & Goss, two maids and a man, in a singing and dancing skit, are well gotten up for their work, and Tom Kuma, the Jap with the novel rings, is somewhat out of the ordinary as an opener to the bill. The Self-Tribune motion pictures show many new scenes taken in different parts of the world. Next week the supplementary season will open with the biggest film features obtainable. Triangle and Keystone pictures will be used almost exclusively, and Marie Dorn will be featured the first half of the week. Watch for the announcements.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE
The stellar bill which has been attracting the attention of local theatre-goers to the Merrimack Square theatre during the past two days, will be shown at the continuous performances today for the last time. "David Garrick" is a play which no one can afford to miss and this is the last opportunity to witness it. This play portrays in a most interesting manner the chief events, especially the romance in the life of the noted Garrick who beat all his efforts to elevate the stage. Dustin Farnum appears in the role of David Garrick and impersonates the character to perfection. "One Day," by Eleanor Glynn is one of those plays which is seen only occasionally, for plays of its merit are not filmed every day. Be sure to see Jeanne Ivers in the leading part of this play today. The Sia Hopkins comedy and the interesting Pathé News will also be shown today for the last time.

If your name happened to be Nora and you were a poverty-stricken Irish lassie who was coming over from the old country to America to visit your brother, and if that brother was nowhere to be found, would you do what Nora O'Brien did? After being attacked by a knight of the streets, she woke up in a beautifully furnished room where several kind faces clustered about her and lovingly called her "cousin."

Those who attend the Merrimack Square theatre will find out what Nora did when confronted with this problem. It is the basis of the story of "The Innocent Lie," the five-act photo-play in which Valentine Grant is appearing at the Merrimack Square theatre during the next three days. The beautiful Clara Kimball Young is another of the stars to be seen here Thursday, Friday and Saturday. She will appear in the leading role of her latest success, "The Feast of Life," a strong story of love and life in the Latin lands. The Burton Holmes travel pictures and the amusing Bray cartoon comedy will also be shown during the remainder of the week starting with the matinee tomorrow.

OWL THEATRE

Another Fox triumph, "The Witch," featuring the famous regal empress of stormy emotion, Miss Nancy O'Neill, will be the attraction at the Owl theatre today and tomorrow. This photoplay is a powerful picturization of a wild and entrancing story carried to its highest possible emotional realms by the genius and personality of this famous actress supported by an all-star cast.

The scene of this Fox feature is laid in Mexico, and deals with a local doctor of that land who is accused of possessing occult powers by the governor of the state. As a result of this a feud arises between two factions, one led by the doctor and the other by the governor. The former is killed in battle. The doctor's daughter has inherited the

powers of her father and shortly afterward she becomes the daughter of the governor of sonorabulum, not knowing at the time that her own lover is engaged to the girl. When she discovers this fact she goes into rage and hypnotizes her rival. She is soon after denounced as a witch and is sentenced to be burned at the stake. What happens from then on forms a series of situations in which love, romance, passion and intrigue are powerfully blended.

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Other excellent photoplays and a side-

splitting comedy will also be presented at the Owl theatre today and tomorrow.

JEWEL THEATRE

"The Target," a strong western drama, featuring Hobart Bosworth, Universal's famous screen artist, will be especially presented at the Jewel theatre today and tomorrow. This actor is known for his forceful type of acting, and does not disappoint in this new Red Feather Universal production. Many other fine attractions are also offered on the midweek bill.

ROYAL THEATRE

Peaceful and domestic, fond of his wife and proud of his children, the Yaqui is one of the noblest of the tribes who peopled this continent before Columbus came. But deep in his heart slumbers the spark of wild, untutored Indian vengeance for wrongs committed; hatred of the man who wounds his feelings or casts derision upon his religion. "The Yaqui" in the Bluebird production, shown at the Royal theatre

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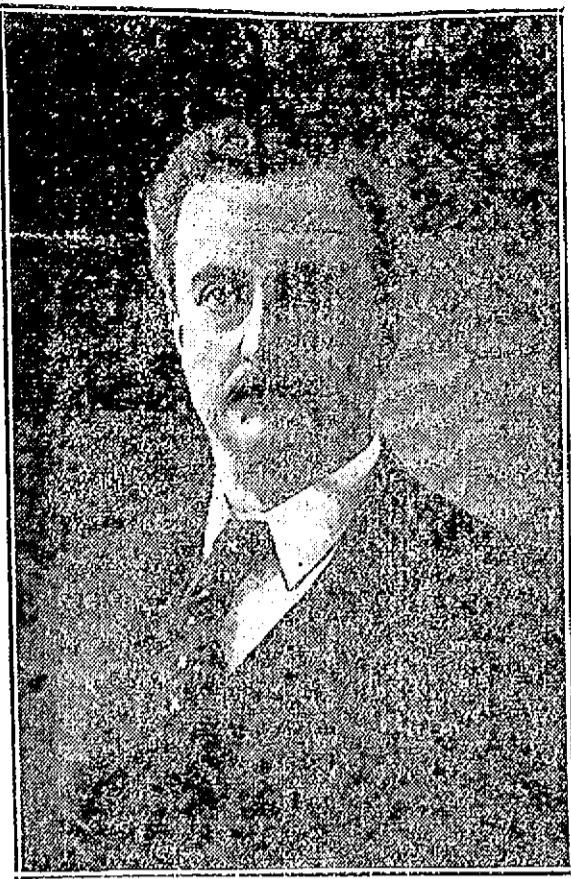
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IRELAND AGAIN EXEMPT



HON. JOHN E. REDMOND

Redmond's Appeal Overcomes Carson's Protest — Churchill's Plea for Co-operation by Ulster

LONDON, May 10.—During the committee stage of the military service bill, in the house of commons yesterday, Sir John Brownlee Longdale, "whip" of the Irish Unionist party, moved that Ireland should be included in the operation of compulsion. Premier Asquith, replying, said the question of compulsion was not a matter of agreement with Ireland, and that if the motion was persisted in there would be protracted discussion which would prevent the measure becoming law at the earliest possible moment.

No More Conflicts

The premier said that a very large number of representatives of Ireland were not at the moment prepared to accept compulsion in Ireland, and that it was not desirable that the country should be plunged into a controversy on the subject at this time. Ireland had just undergone a terrible ordeal, but the result of it, he believed, would be to establish the foundation among loyal Irishmen of a larger measure of agreement than there ever had been in the past.

The premier asked what could be worse than the representatives of Ireland should be forced into a conflict at this moment. The government, he added, was reviewing the utmost care, the military arrangements in Ireland, and the matter of bearing arms, and he hoped a common agreement would be reached. The Longdale motion was voted down without division.

Deprecating the exclusion of Ireland from compulsion under the military service bill, Sir Edward Carson blamed the government for failing to suppress the anti-recruiting campaign in Ireland, which he believed had largely led to the recent disastrous events.

Redmond Lauds Recruits

John Redmond, the national leader, challenged Sir Edward's assertion that in the recent government of Ireland the nationalists had the power but not the responsibility.

"Certainly since the condition government was instituted," said Sir Redmond, "I had no power in the government of Ireland. My opinions have been overborne and my suggestions rejected."

"It is my profound conviction that if we had had power and responsibility during the last years the recent occurrences in Ireland would never have arisen."

Mr. Redmond proceeded to declare it unfair to leave the impression that Ireland had not done well in recruiting. She had more than 150,000 men with the colors, men who had displayed bravery and covered themselves with glory, said the nationalist leader. He opposed conscription for Ireland because he believed compulsion the worst possible way to get men in Ireland and after recent events his deliberate opinion was that it would be insane to attempt to force conscription, and it would be a fearful responsibility. If, in the face of this deliberate opinion, Ulster men should persist in the attempt to force conscription upon Ireland.

Asks Ulster to Co-operate

Mr. Redmond besought the house, not only for the sake of Ireland, but for the sake of the empire, not to proceed with this course.

"Nobody is more anxious than I," he continued, "to respond to the Ulster appeal for co-operation. I have hoped against hope, and hope still, even in the dark miserable circumstances of the moment, that we might come together. Aye, and before long I hope with all my heart that out of these miseries we may be able by taking a large, generous view, something like a statesmanlike and far-reaching view of the empire's highest interests, that out of this tumult and tragedy we may evolve some means of putting an end to these difficulties so that we may have a united Ireland where the people and the government have both power and responsibility."

Winston Spencer Churchill considered that Mr. Redmond had rendered immense service to the empire, and that Great Britain owed a deep debt to the nationalist party for their exertions in the present struggle, "the first struggle," said Colonel Churchill, "in which Ireland has been a valiant friend on our side."

Two Hold Ireland's Fate

He would feel the same reluctance, he declared, in pressing an Irish question against Mr. Redmond's opinion as he would feel against pressing a South African question against the opinion of General Botha.

"The whole future of Ireland," he continued, "depends upon two men, Sir Edward Carson and Mr. Redmond,

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Mrs. William C. Tyler, a social leader of Los Angeles, Cal., will be one of the four women delegates to the democratic national convention to be held in St. Louis.

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TRADE AFTER WAR

Some future morning Americans who take up their daily papers will see in large type the announcement that the war is over. It may be in a month and it may not be for a year, but coming it surely is. The war will be over and there shall be great changes in the commercial relations of the world. Already the belligerent powers are preparing for the reorganization that will follow. The British trade organizations have pleaded for broader powers for the extension of foreign trade. France, Russia, England and Italy are making mutual tariff concessions and Germany is taking steps to regain what she has temporarily lost.

What shall the result be on the United States? Throughout the world there shall be a newer and a more active competition, a keener business sense in international dealings and a desire in each great power to play the leading part in the commercial world of the future. In this fight for business supremacy the United States has the lead, and if we apply the lessons of the war intelligently we are destined to become the greatest and most influential commercial nation in the world. The opportunity is within our grasp; our success or failure shall depend on the use we make of it.

At present we are the dominant nation in international finance, the greatest credit nation in the world. The dollar rules international finance. Domestic trade is brisk and war orders are still piling in. Calls for American products have come from markets heretofore supplied mainly by Germany, England, France or some of the other belligerent powers, and this nation has developed a new realization of its power and importance.

The situation is not without its dangers. With the ending of the war a great deal of our present commerce shall drop away and the tremendous business that now comes unsolicited must be won in the field of keen competition. Unlike most of our competitors we shall have no great power co-operating with us, and we as a novice in world trade shall have to compete with veterans that have been urged to new efforts by the wastage of war. The real test will not come for some time because the war crushed nations will have to turn to us for the means of rehabilitation. Orders for machinery, for bridges, for building materials, for railroad equipment, etc., shall take the place of the war orders that have kept so many factories humming for the past two years or so.

How is the United States to prepare to take full advantage of her position in world trade at the beginning of the new commercial era? By intelligently anticipating new needs now and by making practical preparations whenever it is necessary to guard against unfair outside influences or to increase our industrial or commercial activity. We must develop our resources; we must promote foreign trade by modern and efficient methods; we must avail of the possibilities of our improved financial system to the full; we must establish an American merchant marine to offset our present dependence on nations that have all they can do to attend to their own affairs and that moreover are our active competitors.

American influences everywhere can prepare the nation for this new era by campaigns of education and intelligent foresight. Boards of trade, manufacturers, exporters, public men in all sections ought to co-operate with the government and more especially the department of commerce which is striving to its fullest extent to extend American foreign trade. America can err through ignorance, indifference or over-confidence. It is for all intelligent Americans to face the future so that this nation may take her rightful place at the head of the commercial nations of the earth.

PRESIDENT'S LAST WORD

President Wilson has taken good care to keep the upper hand in the controversy with Germany, and he has spoiled the adroit attempt of Germany to put the American government on the defensive. While accepting the recent German answer to his note, therefore, he has spoken the last word, showing Germany that its promise to wage submarine warfare in accordance with international law is the main thing and that its attempts to complicate the situation or to make America accept conditions have failed utterly. He warns the German government that any deliberate departure from the terms of the note will cause an immediate break in relations, and reiterates his oft-repeated statement that alleged British infractions of international law do not enter into the case at all. There can now be no real or pretended misunderstanding, because Germany has been told in a few sharp words that the United States will hold her to her promise, despite anything that England may or may not do. President Wilson has sent many notes of protest to England and he will probably send some more, but he is too good a statesman and too honest an American to be made a tool of the German government in warfare between Germany and England. The real power of the president's position has come

employed permanently, and this is typical of general conditions.

THE CYMRIC

Although all details of the sinking of the Cymric of the White Star line have not as yet come to hand, it is not expected that it will precipitate any trouble between the United States and Germany. We are so used to reading of a "new German crisis" that we look for it as a matter of course when a liner or merchant ship is sunk, but in this instance the liner was loaded purely as a freight ship, she was loaded with munitions of war and there were no Americans among her crew, five members of which are said to have been killed. It is inferred that warning was given, but this cannot be ascertained definitely at present. The Washington authorities are striving to establish the exact status of the vessel and to find out the particulars of the sinking, but in all probability Germany will be able to make out a good case in this one instance.

NEW BRIDGE PARAPET

By approving of plans that were later found to be undesirable, Lowell gave the Boston and Maine railroad an opportunity to foist on us a bridge fence that does not come up to the country village standard, and we are now striving to have the plans changed. The experience should teach the authorities to make plans for a type of parapet on the new bridge at Pawtucketville that while being safe and in conformity to the structure will not spoil the view of the river. Lowell has long been proud of the view of the falls and the rapids seen from Pawtucket bridge, and when the river is high hundreds go to the bridge on Sundays and in the evening to enjoy the sight.

It has been stated by some that the accepted plan for the new bridge provides for a solid cement parapet on both sides. If so, it should not be so high that it would interfere with the view, but it should be high enough for safety. Open spaces with balustrades should be provided, or else the cement mason work should be low and should be surrounded with an iron fence. Since the first bridge at Pawtucketville was built, the view of the river has been kept open and with the expected development of that section, the view will be still more delightful. Great care will have to be exercised about details so that our beauty spots may be preserved and enhanced.

DAYLIGHT SAVING

The proposal to "save daylight" by advancing the clocks an hour or so every summer is not a new one, but it is going the rounds this year more like a sound proposal than as a theoretical suggestion. Despatches told us a few weeks ago that Germany had adopted it as part of the war policy and now the English house of commons has adopted a motion to that effect by a vote of 170 to 2. The English government is about to introduce a bill embracing the motion, and it is expected that the measure will go into effect Saturday, May 20, when all the clocks will be advanced one hour until further notice. This sanction of Germany and England will give the idea a weight that it has not hitherto carried, and it is possible that all leading nations will set their clocks ahead for half the year in the future.

Yet the practice seems childish and another way to get around the question would be to get to work, etc., an hour earlier. Nevertheless, it is difficult to change established habit, and to set the clocks forward one hour would be an easier way of getting folks up an hour earlier than to start work sooner.

LAST WAR ORDER

The General Electric company of Lynn is said to be finishing the last war order which the company expects to receive. On being asked whether this is an indication of coming peace, the manager said that it is due primarily to the development of home munition making in the allied countries. It will be remembered that Lloyd George has spoken frequently of the increased efficiency of England in the manufacture of war supplies, and the same is true of France and Russia. Undoubtedly much of the American supply has been stored up in anticipation of a great offensive on the west front, and the great cost of manufacturing and importing American munitions has made the belligerent nations look for means to supply their needs at home. Though the General Electric company is on its last war order, it expects to keep most of its present workers

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AUTOMOBILE NEWS

ANOTHER SERVICE CAR

HARRY PITTS ADDS TO HIS EQUIPMENT—STURDY SAXON CAR IN GREAT DEMAND

The latest development in progress at Pitts' Auto Supply is the addition of another service car. The acquisition of this second car was made imperative because the demand for the other car was too great; hence Harry Pitts has purchased a Ford delivery car which is equipped with every thing which goes to make a service car complete.

Tire racks have been installed in this new car as well as gasoline tanks, and probably the most original and necessary feature is the air tank, which is of sufficient capacity to inflate a number of tires.

Hence it is plain to see that when a man on the road telephones in for a new tire, he gets service in the fullest sense of the word: the tire and the air, and if he is a little low on gas he can get some of that too. As all the boys have been instructed in giving "first aid" on the road, there is no waiting for a driver.

Now is the time to buy that car if you are thinking of purchasing a machine. Lowell with its many agencies affords a wide field to choose from. There is a car for any price anyone wishes to pay.

Maude Morrison is enjoying her newly purchased Auburn Six touring car bought through the local agency.

Remember the other fellow when driving your car; he has as much right to the road as you.

George Myers, the Bridge street market man, and veteran autoist has purchased a Pullman Six from George W. Morrison, the local agent.

The V. A. French Auto and Taxi Service, 550 Moody street, is receiving a great deal of patronage in the form of shopping trips, trips to the beaches, etc. One will find this service entirely satisfactory.

The Donovan Harness company is doing a large business in automobile leather goods. If it is anything in leather goods for autos, it will be found at this establishment, so says the Donovan Harness Co.

Every autoist will find just what he requires for his machine at the auto supply shop of Fred H. Rourke, 280 Central street. This shop has a complete line of standard makes of well known and reliable tires, gasoline, oils, etc. In the vulcanizing department there is an expert in charge who personally supervises all the work and none but work of the very best is allowed to leave the shop.

One of the remarkable features of the sturdy Saxon car is its extremely low gasoline consumption. To get twenty-six miles out of a gallon of gas with a six cylinder touring car is going some, and that the Saxon can do and that is what Mr. Burgess of the Burgess Motor car company guarantees.

There is a big demand for this make of car in Lowell and vicinity. Mr. Burgess experiences not a little difficulty in securing enough cars for his orders, and it is only by dint of argument, that he obtains these cars.

Pitts' Auto Supply, Hurd street, today calls attention to the Reliance air container which is a puncture proof inner tube of pneumatic tires.

The claims the manufacturers of this product make cover all that can be desired in such a commodity. They say: "The Reliance air container will not injure the casing; it will not heat more than the ordinary tube; it will

not reduce resiliency; and its use requires no additional power. It is guaranteed for a period of one year from the date of sale not to deflate if, in ordinary use, it is punctured through the thickened tread. Should it fail to hold air a reasonable length of time due to such a puncture it will be replaced and a service charge made covering time of use based on the cost of a first-class inner tube. The purchaser, therefore, does not pay for the puncture protection if he does not receive it."

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Will you please inform me if the carburetor adjustment is affected by different altitudes? I am told that a motorist going from the coast to the inland mountains will crank harder when cold. Liquid Kerosene injected through air valve when the engine is running loosens the carbon deposits and allows it to be blown out with the exhaust. Water is even better than kerosene and leaves no carbon of its own, as is the case when kerosene is used.

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LOWELL FORFEITS GAME

Lowell Players Put Off Grounds at Hartford for Refusing to Obey Umpire Stafford

Special to The Sun

HARTFORD, Conn., May 10.—Umpire Jack Stafford forfeited the game between Lowell and Hartford here yesterday afternoon to the Hartford nine, 9 to 0. It was the first game on the Eastern schedule to be forfeited, and Stafford lost no time in making his decision. After ordering Harry Lord from the field, without giving him time to change his shoes and finding him \$10, Umpire Stafford ordered every player on the Lowell bench to leave the diamond. Upon their refusal to obey he declared Hartford the victor.

At the time Lowell was on the short end of a 3 to 0 score and the members of the team were none too pleased with Stafford's decisions. Several times both players and fans had to stretch their imaginations considerably to arrive at the same conclusions. When Hartford came to bat in the fourth inning, Horsey passed Gero and Mercer popped a fly just over Lord's head, when the latter played in too close. This did not put Harry in the best of spirits, and after Weller sacrificed, Lord drove Dugan's liner far over First Baseman Munn's head. Munn made a spectacular stop of the wild heave and raced for the bag to catch Dugan. Stafford ruled that Dugan was safe, which brought Lord to the plate with a heated protest.

Stafford was firm in his decision and as Lord was fast losing his temper, ordered the Lowell third baseman from the field. Once was not enough for Harry, however, but a \$10 fine as a chaser turned the trick. Lord went to the bench, but that did not satisfy Stafford, who told him to leave the field immediately. Money is money and as Harry did not deem it necessary to offer any objections, he started to leave. Play was then resumed.

Before Pitcher Horsey could deliver the first ball, Heine Wagner, manager of the Hartford team, and mate of Lord's when playing shortstop for the Red Sox a few years ago, complained that during the controversy, one of the Lowell players on the bench had thrown a ball over the fence. A few shady remarks from the Lowell pit and the umpire walked over to the visitors' bench, ordering every man to leave the field. He repeated his order and walked back to the plate. Ordering the men to play, he saw that his demand had not been obeyed and declared Hartford the winner. Harry's notice was waiting for him at the gate.

Until the fracas, Lowell had played rather loose ball, making two errors and getting but one hit, a double to deep center by Stimpson. An error by Torphy paved the way for the first run, while timely hits brought in the other two for the Senators. Horsey was very erratic, giving complimentarily to five Capital City batsmen, and striking out but one. Five singles were also made from his delivery in four stanzas.

Lowell had a chance to score in the second inning, when Munn failed to make way for one of Gero's fast ones and took a base. Hitting badly as he went, Torphy was presented a base on balls and Kilhullen hit in front of the platter. Gero had an advantage of two outs, but a single would have sent Munn home. A high foul

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Shirt waist party, Fri., No. Billerica

COCKFIGHT PROMOTER FINED \$50

BOSTON, May 10.—For promoting a cockfight, Ernest A. Glines of Woburn, who was arrested in Woburn with eight others early Sunday morning in a raid led by Mayor Johnson of that city, was fined \$50 in the Woburn court yesterday. An additional fine of \$10 was imposed for being present at the fight. Cases of the eight others were disposed of yesterday, four of them being fined \$10 each.

In the meantime the gamecocks were still at the Woburn station, crowing every morning.

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RUCKER'S CAREER ENDING MISS McENANEY LEADS

ONE OF BEST LEFT-HANDERS THE GAME HAS EVER KNOWN IS NOW DISABLED

NEW YORK, May 10.—Farewell to George Rucker, one-time Napoleon of the Superbas! The big left-hander has reached the end of his major league career, and that means his days as a professional ball player are over, for Nap will not go back to the bushes. The Alpharetta farmer is pretty well fixed down in Georgia.

That Rucker has run his big league race was indicated the other night, when Charley Ebbets announced that he had placed the pitcher on the disability list. That action was, no doubt, prompted by Rucker's poor showing against the Giants last Monday, when he was hammered out of the box. Youth must be served, and while Rucker becomes the lone Brooklyn ineligible, Duster Mads will rejoin the actives. Mads will again be a member of Wilbert Robinson's official club.

Rucker's contract with the Brooklyn club expires with this season, and with his cunning and power as a pitcher gone, and two such admirable coaches of hurlers as Robinson and Jack Coombs on the club, there is small chance of Nap being retained. In fact, it is extremely doubtful if Rucker would consent to stay.

At the Polo grounds, last Monday, it was all too plain that Rucker was through. His big standby had always been his cunning, elusive, slowest of slow balls, which traveled up to the plate sometimes without even turning. You could see the seams on the baseball as it came up as if waded on a zephyr, yet the batsmen could not hit it. The slow ball is no longer there. As for Rucker's fast ball, a hard-boiled egg could have been beaten by it with impunity, last Monday. He tried to pitch with his head, but that, too, failed.

It was like the irony of baseball for Rucker to fade just when the Superbas rose to a position where his remarkable effectiveness of yore could get full recognition. When Rucker was in his prime he was handicapped by a poor ball club. Rucker was drafted from Augusta of the Sallys and joined the Superbas in 1907, two years after Ty Cobb had gone from Augusta to Detroit. In 1907 Nap enjoyed a fine year, winning 15 and losing 13 with a club that finished fifth. His Great Record

In 1908 Rucker won 17 and lost 19, the Dodgers, in the third and last season of Pat Donovan's regime, finished seventh. In 1909 Nap won 13 and lost 19, a percentage of .405, with a team placed sixth with .359. It was 17 and 18, 22 and 18, and 21, 14 and 15, 7 and 6 and 9 and 4 in the following years. In 1913 Rucker's arm acquired some ailment. That, with natural decline, has done for the great Nap.

It is interesting to note that when Connie Mack, in 1907, had the choice between Rucker and Holmes of Augusta, he chose Holmes. Lynn will not have the services of Irving Porter, the speedy outfielder, for about six weeks as he broke a bone in his leg.

New Haven has released Shortstop Harber, Outfielder McSherry and Pitcher Gilmore.

ANOTHER 12 ROUND BOUT WITH QUESTION OF SUPERIORITY STILL UNSETTLED

BOSTON, May 10.—Though Frankie Mack of Beachmont and Walter Butler of Revere boxed another 12-round bout at the Armory A. I. last night, the question of superiority between these great rivals is still unsettled. Referee Maft Flaherty declared the bout a draw. As in all their previous meetings, boxing was hard and fast. Mack at times forgot to keep his gloves closed when he hit.

A number of times Mack got over some good rights and left to Butler's jaw, and in the mixups sent many lefts and rights to Butler's body. Butler did the hardest hitting, however, some of the swings he landed on Mack's jaw nearly taking the latter off his feet. Mack displayed cleverness in trying Butler up in some of the clinches.

Some figured that Mack should have received the award, and others felt that Butler had earned it. The majority, however, thought the decision a fair one.

In the opening bout between Teddy Murphy and Spike Lisky of the U.S. Rhode Island, there was some dashes of hard scrapping, but the tar appeared to be timid about going after Murphy. The latter got the award at the end of six rounds.

The bout between Vic Socco of the U.S. New Jersey and Robert Hart of Dorchester was a warm one. The sailor got the decision.

In the semifinal, between Tommy McFarland and Billy Shevlin, McFarland won the award in eight rounds by a big margin. Billy LeClair was the timer.

The feature bout next Tuesday night will be between Johnny Dundee and Matt Wells. In the semifinal, Geo. Robinson and George Touché of Milwaukee will appear. Johnny Sullivan will box Johnny Downs, and Jim Blair of Chelsea will box Dan McCormack of East Boston in the preliminaries.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Tewksbury town team would like a game for next Saturday with any strong team. Tel. 4249-J. This team also has a number of other open dates.

The Broadway Social and Athletic club team will play the P&Q nine of Haverhill on the North common at 3 o'clock next Saturday. Players are requested to report at the club rooms at 3 o'clock.

The Walnut A.A. was defeated by the Red Sox last Saturday by a score of 7 to 1. The Red Sox desire games with any 13-year-old teams.

The Almont B. C. will play the Victoria Saturday. All players are requested to report at 1:15 o'clock.

The Diamond Stars of Belvidere will endeavor to take the "pep" out of McGrath's aggregation of Concord street next Saturday afternoon. The game will be played for a large sized quarter ball. The lineup of the Diamond Stars is as follows: W. Connor, C. Clark p, Lefty Crann, Ib, Jim Dugan, 2b, Cahill ss, Charles Connors at A. Conn, W. Connor rf, F. Leahy cf.

The Hudson A.A. baseball team is out with a challenge to any 20-year-old uniformed team in Lowell. The South common is preferred for playing games. Address Joseph Christy, Houghton street, Hudson, Mass.

The Emeralds will clash with the Middlesex County Training school on Saturday afternoon. The following players are asked to report at the club rooms at 1:15 o'clock: Keefe, G. P. Daly, Doherty, Ennis, Devine, Sexton, Elliot, Hickory, D. Daly. The Emeralds would like games with the Guilbauds, Victorias or Sharps Peels.

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TO THE LOWELL FANS

BOARD OF TRADE ISSUES MESSAGE URGING SUPPORT AND ENCOURAGEMENT TO PLAYERS

"Lowell may be more than normally busy, but it is not too busy to enjoy good professional baseball. The board of trade believes in fostering the prosperity of the Lowell team so long as it properly represents the city by playing good baseball and clean baseball. Lowell is today included in the new and comprehensive Eastern league circuit, in which are 10 New England cities of size and importance. Of these Lowell is second to none in commercial activity and development, and the possession of one of the best baseball teams in this circuit assumes local importance, for through the constant migrations of the team Lowell keeps in intimate touch with the sister cities. It becomes a matter of pride to have the Lowell team ranking high among them all and it benefits the city.

No amusement secures such general public attention as baseball. The fortunes of these 10 teams are to be followed this summer by thousands of people who will know Lowell only through the record of its baseball team. It therefore behoves Lowell residents to see to it that support and encouragement is given the team to the end that the best results may be attained. Lowell is to have faster and more interesting baseball. Than ever before, it will cost something to keep the pace. The owners of the Lowell team are doing their share and more. If the people will co-operate and maintain a reasonable support of the financial end of the game, the city will gain. Of the 100 members of the Board of Trade probably more than 80 per cent are baseball fans of varying degree of impulsiveness, and this 80 per cent can help with patronage and enthusiastic support. Local pride speaks, during the summer months, through the percentage columns of the team standings. The board of trade expects the team to keep up the fair name of Lowell and asks the people to help it. It is a good amusement to have in the city.

"If baseball will advertise Lowell, let it be good advertising. If these distant thousands are to know a little something about Lowell by means of its baseball record, let it be a good record. It will be a good record and it will bring Lowell to have a permanent winner among the 10 live New England cities. Here is a chance for a little practical boosting that counts. It cannot succeed without public encouragement."

Returning yesterday from Australia where he fought five battles and 20 rounds with Les Darcy, G. Q. Brown posts \$1000 with T. S. Andrews of Chicago for a 20-round go with Mike Gibbons or Jack Dillon, number one of rounds to be agreed upon later.

Brown and Gibbons were very successful in the Island country and are in fine physical shape for oncoming bouts.

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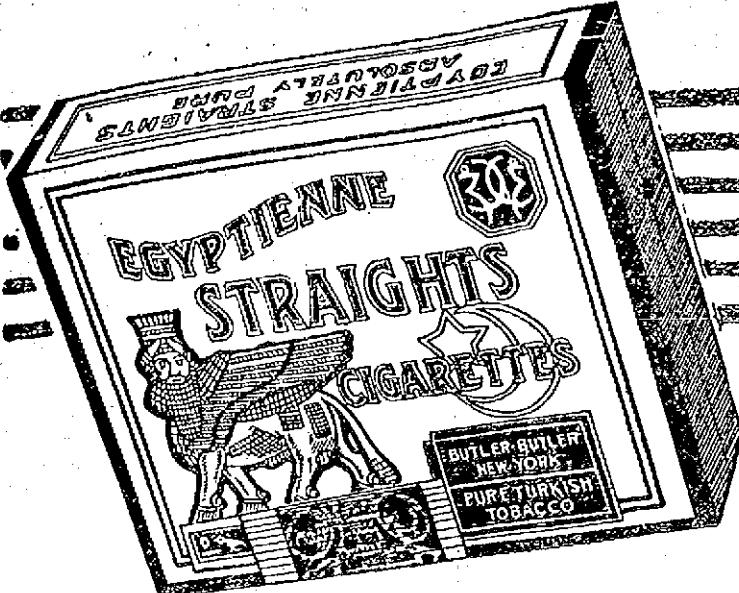
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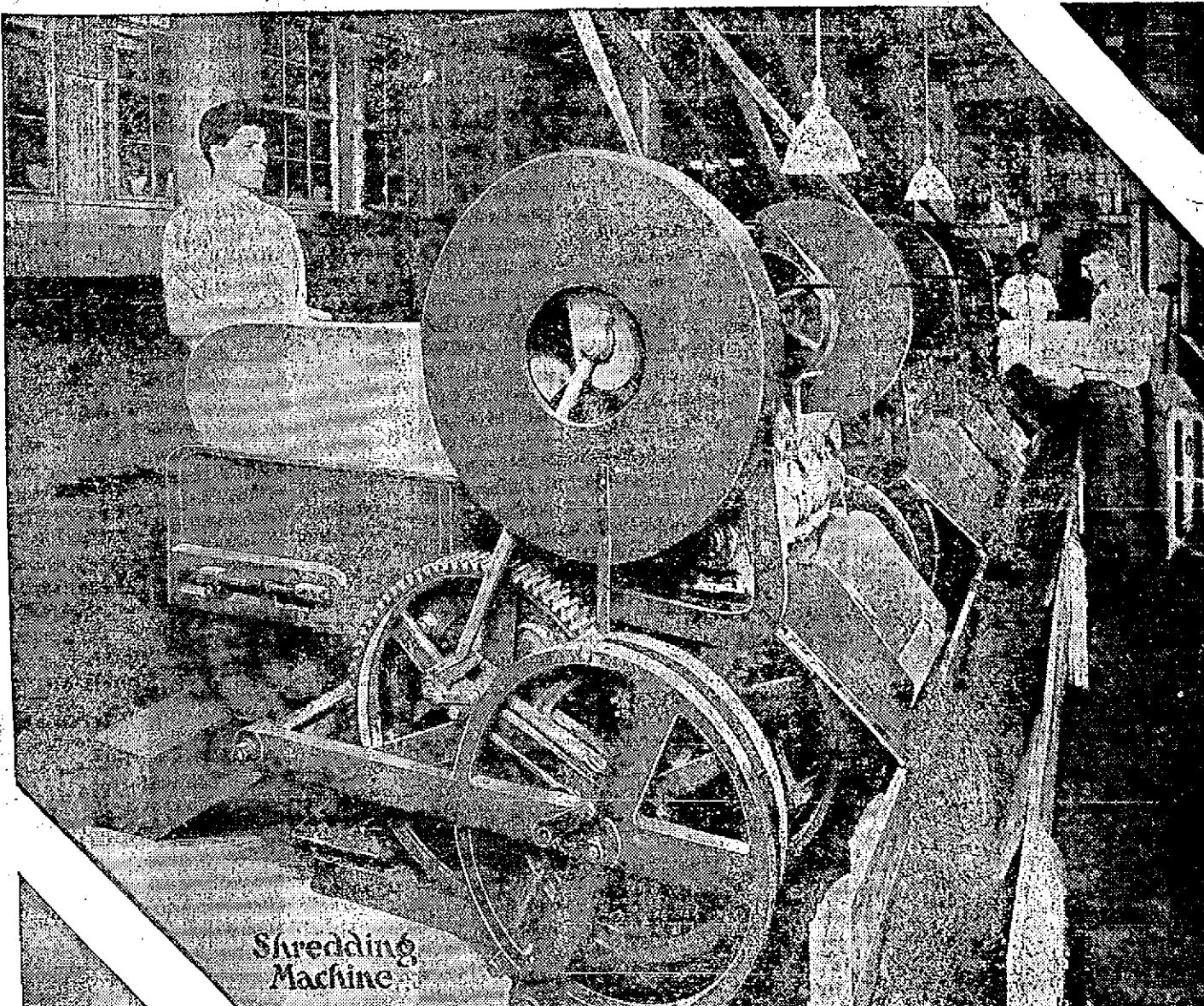
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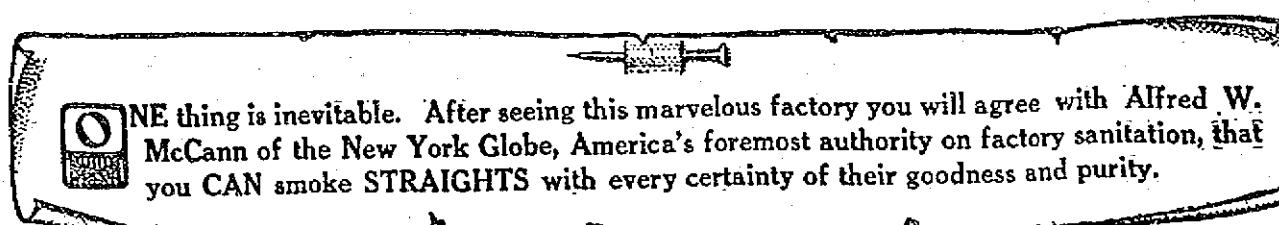
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Real Batting Leaders
in League

Games played in the new Eastern league during the first week were featured to a large extent by heavy hitting, the end of the first seven days' play finding thirty-four men stinging the old horsehide for .300 or better.

Egan of the Springfield Ponies and Lavigne of Lowell are tied for the honor of leading the league, each having a perfect average of 1.000, the former having secured two hits in two times up in two games, while the latter made one hit in his only appearance. Murphy of the New Haven club stands third with a mark of .566. He played in one game, collecting three hits in five trips to the plate.

Dowd Is Hitting 'Em

The actual leader, however, is Second Baseman Dowd of Morton F. Plant's New London aggregation, who, in six games has swatted the pill for a mark of .526. Dowd has appeared nineteen times at the plate and has scored ten hits, three of which went for doubles. The next regular who appears among the top notchers is Manager Harry Lord of Lowell, the former Red Sox and White Sox star. Lord's average in six games is .444, the former big leaguer having connected safely eight times in eighteen trips to the plate.

Pitchers Are Backward

The heavy striking during the first week is accounted for in a large measure by the condition of the pitchers, who have by no means reached the top of their form. Included also among the leaders at the present time are a goodly number of battery men who have taken part in only one or two games. These will drop out of the select class after one or two more games, and their places will be taken by the regulars.

Of the thirty-four players in the charmed circle of .300 hitters, New Haven leads the league with seven men; Springfield and Lowell each has five; New London and Portland four each; Lynn three and Bridgeport and Hartford two each. Worcester is the only club not represented.

There are nineteen pitchers who have not lost a game. The batting averages of the .300 or better hitters and the records of the nineteen leading pitchers, including all games played up to Saturday, follow:

Batting Averages		G	A	B	R	H	Ave
Egan, Springfield	...	2	12	2	2	1.000	
Lavigne, Lowell	...	1	1	1	1	1.000	
Murphy, New Haven	...	1	1	1	1	.566	
Dowd, New London	...	6	13	5	10	.526	
Lord, Lowell	...	2	6	1	3	.500	
Kennedy, N. Haven	...	1	2	0	1	.500	
Daniels, Springfield	...	1	2	0	1	.500	
Lord, Lowell	...	6	12	7	8	.444	
Williams, Lynn	...	3	7	3	4	.429	
Fortune, N. London	...	3	8	3	2	.429	
Miller, New Haven	...	28	56	12	42	.428	
Walter, New London	...	24	31	10	11	.417	
Justin, Springfield	...	3	5	0	2	.400	
Bose, Springfield	...	6	23	5	9	.391	
Munn, Lowell	...	19	2	7	3	.368	
Layster, Lawrence	...	6	25	9	0	.360	
Stephens, Springfield	...	6	29	9	1	.333	
Barrows, Lowell	...	5	18	1	8	.333	
Soper, New Haven	...	6	24	7	8	.333	
Gordon, Portland	...	6	27	4	9	.333	
Brown, Portland	...	5	21	1	7	.333	
Porter, Lynn	...	3	12	5	4	.333	
J. Sharpton, N. Haven	...	3	12	1	1	.333	
Pastor, Bridgeport	...	5	12	2	0	.333	
Woodward, N. Haven	...	12	23	5	8	.333	
Conroy, Hartford	...	9	18	0	1	.333	
Mahoney, Lawrence	...	7	23	3	9	.321	
Rodriguez, N. London	...	6	22	3	7	.318	
Burns, New London	...	5	13	4	6	.316	
Gaudette, Bridgeport	...	7	23	6	9	.310	
Tierney, New Haven	...	7	23	2	7	.304	
Gleason, Lynn	...	6	28	5	8	.300	
Snyder, Hartford	...	5	10	0	3	.300	

Pitchers' Records		W	L	S	B	H	P.C.
Plitt, Port	...	2	0	1	11	10	1.000
Hearne, N. L.	...	2	0	1	1	1	1.000
Alsworth, N. H.	...	2	1	1	12	6	1.000
Pearson, Law	...	2	0	1	3	3	1.000
Mathis, Port	...	2	0	4	3	3	1.000
Ziese, Lvl	...	2	0	3	3	14	1.000
Justin, Spfg	...	1	0	3	1	9	1.000
Salmon, Hfd	...	1	0	13	4	14	1.000
Jordan, Port	...	1	0	5	3	11	1.000
Fortune, N. L.	...	1	0	10	11	6	1.000
Martin, N. L.	...	1	0	6	5	11	1.000
Woodard, N. H.	...	1	0	8	11	11	1.000
Pennington, Law	...	1	0	3	4	7	1.000
Daniels, Spfg	...	1	0	4	1	5	1.000
LaRoy, Spfg	...	1	0	2	2	11	1.000
Gero, Hfd	...	1	0	4	1	5	1.000
Woodman, Lynn	...	1	0	3	6	8	1.000
Martin, Port	...	1	0	2	3	9	1.000
Fuller, Law	...	1	0	4	1	3	1.000

GAMES TOMORROW

Eastern League
Bridgeport at Lowell.
New Haven at Lawrence.
Springfield at Lynn.
Hartford at Portland.
New London at Worcester.

American League

Cleveland at Boston.
Chicago at New York.
St. Louis at Washington.
Detroit at Philadelphia.

National League

Boston at Chicago.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.
New York at Pittsburgh.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.

LEAGUE STANDING

Eastern League		Won	Lost	P.C.
New London	...	5	4	.556
Lynn	...	5	4	.556
Springfield	...	5	4	.556
Lawrence	...	5	4	.556
Portland	...	5	5	.500
Lowell	...	5	5	.500
New Haven	...	4	5	.444
Bridgeport	...	4	6	.400
Hartford	...	3	7	.375
Worcester	...	1	7	.125
American League	...	1916	1915	
Cleveland	...	15	8	.652
Washington	...	11	9	.550
New York	...	11	11	.500
Boston	...	11	11	.500
Detroit	...	11	13	.458
Chicago	...	8	11	.421
St. Louis	...	8	13	.350
Philadelphia	...	7	13	.331
National League	...	1316	1915	
Brooklyn	...	10	4	.714
Boston	...	10	5	.667
Chicago	...	12	9	.556
Cincinnati	...	11	10	.500
St. Louis	...	10	10	.500
Philadelphia	...	8	13	.400
Pittsburgh	...	8	13	.400
New York	...	3	13	.157

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Eastern League
Lynn 6, Bridgeport 2.
New London 12, Portland 1.
Springfield 3, Lawrence 2.
Hartford 9, Lowell 6 (contested).

American League
Boston 5, Cleveland 1.
Chicago 5, New York 4.
Detroit 16, Philadelphia 2.
St. Louis 10, Washington 3.

National League
New York 13, Pittsburgh 5.
Chicago 8, Cincinnati 5.

CASUALTIES IN DUBLIN

Losses Among His Majesty's Troops 511—Hundreds Arrested in Cork and Tipperary

LONDON, May 9. 3:55 p.m.—The casualties in Dublin in the recent uprising were 124 killed 358 wounded and nine missing, a total of 521 among His Majesty's troops and the Royal Irish constabulary. Premier Asquith announced in the house of commons today.

COURTS MARTIAL END WORK

DUBLIN, May 9. 4:15 p.m.—The courts martial which have been trying the Sinn Feiners have completed their work. All government employees in Ireland have been ordered to report their recent movements, in view of the fact that some minor officials are known to have been members of the Sinn Fein.

HUNDREDS ARRESTED

LONDON, May 9.—Executions and arrests in Ireland were again discussed in the house of commons this afternoon in the form of questions to Premier Asquith.

William O'Brien, nationalist member for the city of Cork, asked whether the premier was aware that hundreds of men from Cork and Tipperary had been arrested without any charge being stated and were confined in the Cork jail, where they were treated with the utmost harshness. He also

asked whether steps would be taken to allay the universal public indignation at the reign of terror which had been established and whether the police and military had just raided the offices of the Cork Free Press which had advocated recruiting since the outbreak of the war.

Premier Asquith said he would make diligent inquiries into the matters alluded to in Mr. O'Brien's questions.

A veritable riddle of questions was directed at the premier from all sides of the house. Some members asked whether he was aware of the "grave concern" over the executions and others whether he knew of the "grave concern" felt over the losses which loyalists had suffered. Philip Edward Morris, liberal member for Batley, inquired whether F. Sheehy Skeffington, editor of the Irish Citizen, had been shot in the barracks square in Dublin before martial law was proclaimed, and Timothy Healy asked whether the premier knew whether the editors of two newspapers opposed to the revolt had been shot without trial at Portobello barracks, without any time being given them to say their prayers. The premier promised to make careful inquiry into all the incidents mentioned. No one was more anxious than the government, he said, that there should be no undue severity in the execution of the law.

From Yesterday's Late Edition

FUNERAL OF AGT. BOWEN

Large Concource Attended Service at Church—Appleton Mill Closed During Funeral

After private prayers at the home and a very impressive service at the First Baptist church, the remains of Frank A. Bowen, agent of the Appleton mill and one of the best known men in this part of the country, were tenderly laid at rest in the Edison cemetery this afternoon. Present at the church were representatives of various organizations with which deceased was connected, as well as practically every mill official of the city, scores of employees of the Appleton mill and business and professional men, for deceased was held in the highest esteem by numerous friends and acquaintances.

At 1:30 o'clock private prayers were recited at the home, 43 Gates street, by the pastor of the First Baptist church, Rev. A. C. Archibald, and at 2 o'clock the funeral cortego left the home and wended its way to the church, which was almost filled to its capacity. At 2:30 o'clock the service opened with Rev. A. C. Archibald as the officiating clergyman, who, read from the Bible and paid a high tribute to deceased, referring to his life as that of one who had performed his duty for his God, his country, his city, and his people. The pulpit was bedecked with a wealth of floral offerings as a silent tribute to the deceased.

During the service the church quartet composed of Mrs. William H. Peplin, Miss Vivian Cowan, W. F. Reid and Harry Pollard, rendered "The Christian's Goodnight," and "Crossing the Path" as well as other hymns. Wilfred Kershaw, the regular church organist, presiding at the organ. Among the various delegations in attendance at the church were representatives from the following organizations: Mill agents, selling agents, the entire office force of the Appleton mill, Baptist union, Kilwinning Lodge, F. M. Lowell 8 council, R.A., Y.M.C.A., trustees of the Lowell hospital and the deacons of the church. Scores of employees of the Appleton mill were also present as out of respect for deceased and also to give the employees an opportunity to pay a last tribute to their former agent, the mill ceased operations at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The honorary bearers were the following deacons of the church: W. L. Floyd, George H. Taylor, Harry Stocks, J. W. Buchanan, Craven Middleby, W. W. Buzzell, Arthur J. French, James E. Anderson and George W. Hunt. The ushers at the church were James E. Flemings, Frank E. Kibbler, Robert Friend, Louis D. Robinson, William Coloway and Joseph McShane. Burial, which was private, was in the family lot in the Edison cemetery, where the committee prayers were read by Rev. A. C. Archibald. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Fred J. Flemings under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

WEDDING PARTY FROM NASHUA
A long line of automobiles filled with men, women and children, the men wearing red carnations in their coat lapels, attracted considerable attention in Merrimack and Central streets this afternoon and there was some speculation as to what the big turnout was all about. A little inquiry disclosed the fact that Walter Rousseau and Anna Gaudette were married in Nashua this forenoon and came to Lowell on a little wedding jaunt and to have wedding lunch here. They took to the right about Lowell and returned to Nashua later in the afternoon.

Laroque-Barrieu

Edouard Laroque and Miss Julie Anne Barrieu were married this morning at a nuptial mass celebrated at 8:30 o'clock at St. Louis church by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Labossiere. The bride wore a gown of white voile and carried bridal roses. The witnesses were Jacques Bolvert, Sr., and Urbain Daigle. At the close of the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride and at noon the happy couple left on a honeymoon trip to Moncton, Acadieville, N. B. and after June 3 they will be at home to their friends in Woburn.

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Stock Market Closing Prices May 9

FOR COMPLETE REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING PRICES SEE LATER EDITION

NEW YORK MARKET					RAILWAYS IN DEMAND					BOSTON MARKET				
Stocks	High	Low	Close	Chg.	Stocks	High	Low	Close	Chg.	Stocks	High	Low	Close	Chg.
Allis Chalmers	27	26 1/2	26 1/2	-	Bos & Maine	45 1/2	45	45	-	Adventure	4	3 1/2	4	-
Am Beet Sugar	70 1/4	69	70	+1 1/4	Fitchburg pf	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	-	Algonac	1	1	1	-
Am Can	55 1/2	55	56	-	N Y & N H	60	59 1/2	59 1/2	-	American Gold	21	20 1/2	21	-
Am Can pf	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2	-	Am Car & Fin.	61	59 1/2	59 1/2	-	Aradian	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	-
Am Cot Oil	53 1/2	53	53	-	Am Hanes Com.	51 1/2	51	51	-	Aztec	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	-
Am Hanes Com.	51 1/2	51	51	-	Am Locomo pf	101	101	101	-	Balto & Superior	92 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2	-
Am Locomo pf	101	101	101	-	Balt & Ohio pf	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2	-
Am Smelt & R.	56 1/2	56	57	+1 1/2	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Centennial	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	-
Am Smelt & R. pf	112 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	China	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2	-
Am Sugar Ref.	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Copper Range	65 1/2	65	65	-
Am Sugar Ref. pf	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Dalby-West	3	3	3	-
Am Soda	88 1/2	88	88	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Day Butte	13	12 1/2	12 1/2	-
Am Soda pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Granby	82	82	82	-
Am Soda pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Hanover	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2	-
Am Soda pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Ingraham	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	-
Am Soda pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Ingraham	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	-
Am Soda pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Isle Royale	28 1/2	28	28	-
Am Soda pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Kerr Lake	5	5	5	-
Am Soda pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Lake	16	16	16	-
Am Soda pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Mass	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	-
Am Soda pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Mayflower	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	-
Am Soda pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Mohawk	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2	-
Am Soda pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Nevada	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2	-
Am Soda pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Nipissing	8	8	8	-
Am Soda pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	North Butte	26	25 1/2	25 1/2	-
Am Soda pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Old Colony	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	-
Am Soda pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Old Dominion	71 1/2	71	71	-
Am Soda pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Oscoda	35 1/2	35	35	-
Am Soda pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Roy Con	23 1/2	23	23	-
Am Soda pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Santa Fe	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	-
Am Soda pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	St. Mary	76	75 1/2	75 1/2	-
Am Soda pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	-	Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	-	Shannon	9 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	-
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SUNK WITHOUT WARNING

All Except Three of Crew of
Cymric Were British Subjects—
No Americans on Board

All except three members of the crew of the White Star liner Cymric, torpedoed off the Irish coast, were British subjects, today's despatches state. Definite announcement comes from American Consul Frost at Queenstown that there were no Americans on board. He also reports that no warning was given and that the wake of a torpedo was seen.

NO AMERICANS ON BOARD

LONDON, May 10.—Wesley Frost, American consul at Queenstown, sent a telegram today from Bantry to the American embassy here announcing definitely that there were no Americans on board the Cymric. Mr. Frost said no warning was given, but that the wake of a torpedo was seen. He confirmed previous statements that the vessel was not armed. The weather was rough and the members of the crew were in the boats from 1:30 a. m. until 3 p. m.

SURVIVORS TALK

BANTRY, Ireland, May 10.—Details of the sinking of the White Star liner Cymric were given today by members of the crew who were landed here. They say that the torpedo which destroyed the ship struck the engine

room. The explosion blew all the lights off and extinguished the lights throughout the vessel.

Four men were killed by the explosion and the chief steward was drowned trying to reach a boat when the crew abandoned the ship.

One hundred and seven members of the crew took to the boats shortly after the liner was torpedoed and returned when it was seen that the steamer was not in immediate danger of sinking. They remained on board for two hours, when a sloop which had heard the Cymric's wireless calls for help, one hundred miles away, arrived and took them off. The sloop stood by the stricken liner until she sank at 3:30 a. m. All of the crew were British subjects, except one Russian and two Belgians. The officers say that the Cymric was unarmed. There were six passengers on board, members of the British consular service, all of whom were saved.

K. OF C. STATE DEPUTY

DANIEL J. GALLAGHER, ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY, CHOSEN AT ANNUAL CONVENTION OF ORDER

BOSTON, May 10.—The 23d annual meeting of the Massachusetts state council of the Knights of Columbus was held at the Hotel Somerset yesterday, delegates representing the 141 councils of this jurisdiction being present. Daniel J. Gallagher, assistant district attorney of Suffolk county, who has been the state secretary for the past two years, was elected state deputy without opposition. The other officers chosen were William J. Day, associate Justice of the South Boston court, state secretary; Henry E. Haagen of Boston, state treasurer; James H. Malone of Springfield, state auditor; James E. Dunlevy of Springfield, state advocate, and John S. Quinn of Boston, state warren.

To represent this state at the supreme convention of the order at Davenport, Ia., next August, the following delegates were elected: Dennis E. Callahan of Lawrence, Joseph P. Carney of Gardner, James P. Doran of New Bedford, Frank J. Flynn of Boston, John H. Gordon of Auburndale, D. J. Haggerty of Chicopee, James M. Mead of Arlington and William J. Shanahan of Somerville.

The alternates elected were John Burns of Ayer, George P. Carberry of Peabody, John E. Dodd of Framingham, William P. Healey of Amesbury, John J. Henderson of Hudson, William F. Madden of Waltham, Neil P. Moynihan of Haverhill, John H. Murphy of Greenfield, Eugene J. O'Neill, Jr., of Chicopee Falls, and Ernest Rouneau of North Adams.

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DEATHS

CORDINGLY—David Cordingly died suddenly yesterday afternoon at 20 Brookline street, aged 52 years. He leaves his wife, Nora; one son, John; three sisters, Mrs. Clayton of New Bedford, Mrs. Morris and Mrs. Evans of Fall River, and a brother, Havelock Cordingly. The body was taken to his home, 71 Union street.

ST. LAURENT—Mrs. Marie E. (Bellegarde) St. Laurent, wife of Charles H. St. Laurent, aged 40 years, 7 months, 27 days, died last evening at her home, 135 Middlesex street, after a lingering illness. She leaves, besides her husband, a daughter, Louise, three sons, Hubert C. Horner, V. Ward, and P. St. Laurent, all of Lowell; her mother, Mrs. Julian Bellegarde; two sisters, Mrs. E. F. McNally of Northfield, Vt., and Miss Blanche Bellegarde of this city; also two brothers, Joseph of Swanton, Vt., and Leon Bellegarde of Winooski, Vt.

HETU—Pierre Hetu, aged 73 years, an old resident of this city, died last evening at his home, 15 Garnet street, after a lingering illness. He leaves a son, Henri; a daughter, Louise Hetu; three brothers, David of Lowell, George in Canada and Henri Hetu of Fruitland, Wash.

HOOD—The death of Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Hood occurred yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Leroy J. Parkhurst, in Lowell street, Chelmsford, following an illness that resulted from an attack of the grip. In her 70th year, Mrs. Hood was 70 years. She is survived by a son, Fred J. Hood, two daughters, Mrs. Leroy J. Parkhurst and Mrs. Edwin C. Perham of Chelmsford; a brother, John Campbell of North Adams; a sister, Martha J. Campbell of Chelmsford, and a niece, Angeline Campbell of Palo Alto, Cal.

GRAY—Mrs. Agnes A. Gray died Wednesday morning at the Lowell General hospital, aged 59 years. She leaves besides her husband, Henry E. two sisters and one brother. She was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star, auxiliary, YMCA, and Centralville Lodge, D. of R. LOOOF. The body was removed to her home, 124 Lilley avenue. Funeral notice later.

FUNERALS

FALL—The funeral of Alonzo H. Fall took place May 5 from his home, 58 Forest street, Methuen. Mr. Fall was born in Ossipee, N. H., and was 82 years old. He was the son of John and Elizabeth (Ayer) Fall, who died in 1901 when a young man and engaged in the milk business which he followed for a number of years. He married Louisa Whitney, eldest daughter of the late Geo. B. Whitney, who for many years was electrician of the Lowell fire department, and in 1902 she died, leaving three daughters, Alice, Edna, and Florence, and one son, Lester A. of Methuen. In 1904 he married Rebecca Rice and five children were born to them, Helen, Frances, Perley, Wilbur and Richard. About 22 years ago Mr. Fall moved to Lawrence, where he was overseer of the yard of the Atlantic cotton mill, a position he held until the mill was sold three years ago. For the past few years he had been engaged in the teaming business. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Davis of the Forest Street Union church, Methuen. Burial was in the Edson cemetery in this city.

THURSTON—The funeral of Mrs. Ethel St. Germain Thurston took place yesterday afternoon from the home in North road, Chelmsford. The services conducted by Rev. Edward A. Robinson, pastor of the Central Congregational church, were largely attended and the floral tributes, expressive of the deep sympathy felt, were numerous.

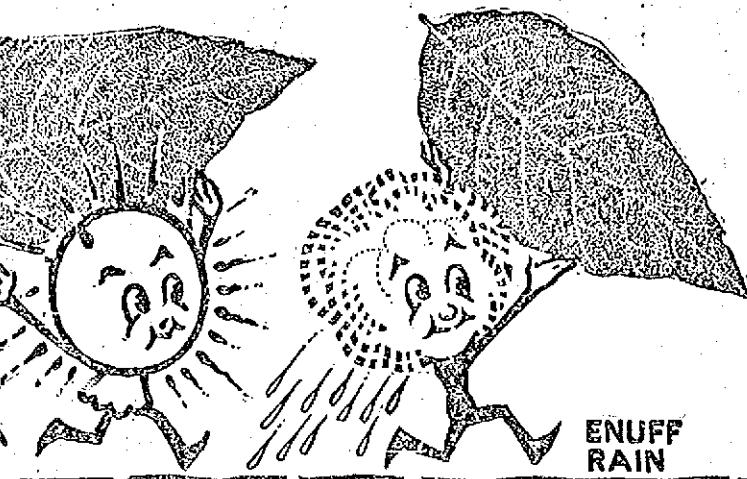
RILEY—The funeral of Mr. Patrick Riley took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from the home of his son, Edward, 133 Coburn street, and was largely attended. A funeral high mass was celebrated in St. Michael's church at 8 o'clock by Rev. J. J. Lynch. The burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. J. J. Lynch read the burial services. The bearers were Messrs. John J. Reilly, Wm. Hurley,

John Riley, Frank McGowan, James McDonough and Bernard Golden. Many beautiful tributes were placed on the grave by the following: Mr. and Mrs. B. Goldfarb and family; the family of the deceased; Miss Rita Callahan; Mr. and Mrs. John J. Reilly and family; Miss Rose A. Riley, Mrs. Gilbride and Mrs. Leah, Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Riley and family; Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Curley, John Curtin, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Prentiss, Miss Rose G. Riley. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

KOWALEWSKA—The funeral of Mrs. Kowalewska, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanislaus Kowalewska, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 31 Winter street. Services were held at the Holy Trinity church with Rev. Alexander Ogonowski officiating. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Son.

In loving memory of my dear wife, Jennie Noble O'Connor, who died May 10, 1914.

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PRIZES AWARDED LEAGUE WINNERS—PLEASANT JOLLIFICATION AT RICHARDSON HOTEL

Over 75 relishing good fellows, most of whom were members of the various teams in the City Bowling league this season, assembled in the dining room of the Richardson hotel last evening and sat down to one of the most enjoyable banquets of the year. The rivalry and fighting spirit that marked the progress of the bowling league season were forgotten, and the members of both the victorious and defeated teams joined together for a night of jollification.

The bowlers and their guests gathered around the festive board about 8:30 o'clock and enjoyed a sumptuous banquet of several courses. During the meal music was furnished by the Y.M.C.A. quartet, which rendered several of the latest song hits. William Gilbride acted as accompanist and aided materially to the success of the program.

After the banquet Ernest L. Kimball of the Kimball System team, the toastmaster of the evening, called to order and welcomed the bowlers and guests. Brief remarks pertaining to the interest in bowling were made by Edward P. Hicks and Montgomery Sears of a Boston bowling concern, Michael Driscoll and Henry Carr, the latter two proprietors of local bowling alleys. Manager F. M. Moore of the Crescent alleys, who was presented the first prize trophy cup, responded briefly.

The feature of the evening was the awarding of the prizes. The first league prize of \$30 and the Mexico cup went to the Crescents, with 50 points won and 22 lost. The second money, \$30, went to the Kimballs, and the White Way rollers received third award of \$30. The other teams finished the season in the following order: Brunswicks, Bridge Streets, Jewels, Carrs and Kitteredges.

William Dwyer won a lamp for being the highest averaged bowler in the second division, who had not won a prize.

The White Way boys won two prizes of seven dollars and two of four dollars for the highest and second highest team totals and singles. The other individual winners were:

High average, Martel, \$30; second average, Kimpton, \$5; third average, Devlin, \$2.

High three-string total, A. Jodoin, \$34. \$5; second three-string total, Flanckets, \$36. \$5; third three-string total, Kelley, \$37. \$2.

High single, Dickey, \$10; \$5; third high single, Barrows, \$11. \$5; fourth high single, Dooley, \$12. \$2.

Walter Jewett, Michael Driscoll and James Winn had charge of the evening's entertainment. The officers of the league, who are responsible for a great measure for the success of the affair, are: President, E. L. Kimball; Walter Jewett, secretary, Michael Driscoll, treasurer.

Those present included:

White Ways—Messrs. Driscoll, Wallace, Conner, Brigham, Mulcahy, O'Brien, Godlard, Devlin, Hall, Bernadina, Sweeney, Noonan, Cole, Kempton, Niangan, Cavanaugh, E. O'Brien and Tigratt.

Crescents—Messrs. F. M. Moore, Jewett, Lebrun, Jodoin, Cannan, George, L. Moore, McDermott, Carroll, Kelley, E. F. Donohue, Johnson, Marion, Regan, Howard, Grady and J. E. Donohue.

Carrs—Messrs. Lane, Barrows, Riley, Dwyer, McNulty, H. F. Carr, Foley, Mat-

thews, O'Brien, Wynne, Callahan, Doherty, Dacey and Shea.

Kimballs—Messrs. E. L. Kimball, Pierce, Martel, P. Clark, Chandler, G. Clark, Ritchie, Brennan, Bob Clark and Myrick.

Jewels—Messrs. Whipple, Farrell, John, Fadden and Allen.

Bridge Streets—Messrs. Driscoll, Parker and McKenzie.

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Walter C. Bruce

Walter C. Bruce's reputation as a singer is not confined to his own city alone. It has traveled abroad and abides in many cities and towns that frequently demand his services at all sorts of gatherings from private soiree to grand concert. Recently he went to Milford, N. H., and sang in a concert, the seventh annual by the Milford high school. In Milford Walter is a prime favorite. A Milford friend who attended this concert writes me that he never sang better and that the big audience present was more than pleased with his work. Mr. Bruce sang several solos, among them being "The Postillion," by Mollov; "Sunset," by Buck, and "The Silent World is Sleeping," also by Buck. He appeared in duet with Mrs. Desparois in "The Moon Has Raised Her Lamp Above," from Benedet's "The Lily of Killarney," and sang the solo part with chorus, "Father, from a Distant Land," from Gode's "The Crusaders." From this partial mention we may judge that the concert was of unusual high class.

Safety Blades Dangerous.

Safety razors after due acquaintance may be all that their title signifies; but after using, the blades should be as carefully put away as their old-time relative is. I know of a man who twice within a week, while pawing over a mixture of nails, bolts, screws, etc., received some nice gashes. At best these cuts are bothersome and possibly a cut received from a rusty or infected blade might result in something serious. Having had some personal experience on account of other people's carelessness, I'm in position to give voice to a word of caution. Be careful, when you are fanning around in odd and dark places seeking for a collar button or perchance a tack, that discarded safety razor blade isn't in position to give the top of your finger a nice slick gash.

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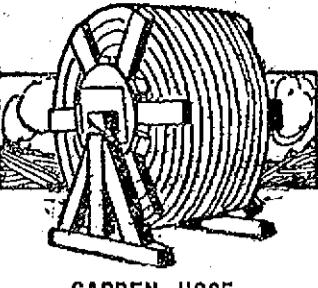
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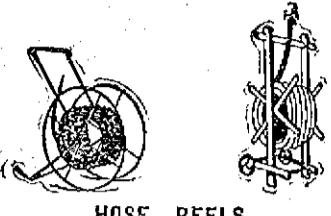
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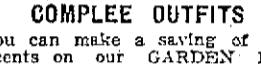
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date approaches to Dover are very attractive. Now it had been nearly 30 years since I had seen this town, and I fear that I didn't retain very favorable impressions of the place. Since the other Sunday those unfavorable impressions are no more. Dover, another New Hampshire town, where settlement dates away back in New England's history, is a very interesting and beautiful place. To Dover, then, I shall go again; and thus I square with myself.

MAN IN THE MOON.

ON THE RIO GRANDE

POINT DIRECTLY OPPOSITE EL PASO, TEXAS, SCENE OF RECENT MOMENTOUS MEETING

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—Culled Juarez, the scene of the recent momentous meeting between General Obregon, minister of war in the Carranza cabinet, and Major Generals Saott and Funston is the subject of today's war geography bulletin, issued by the National Geographic Society from its Washington headquarters, which says:

"Situated on the right bank of the Rio Grande, directly opposite El Paso, Texas, and 123 miles north of Mexico City, the very name of the city of Juarez suggests noteworthy events in the history of the southern republic, and the conferences which have been held there recently by the representatives of the military forces of both the American and Mexican governments add another interesting chapter to the community's annals.

"For more than 200 years Juarez was known as El Paso del Norte (the pass of the North), and it was not until 1855 that the city was renamed in honor of one of Mexico's greatest statesmen and patriots, Benito Juarez, who established his capital here during the troublous times when Napoleon III of France was abetting the ill-fated Maximilian in his effort to found an empire in the Western hemisphere.

"Juarez, a full-blooded Zapotec Indian born in an obscure village near Oaxaca, succeeded to the presidency of Mexico when Comonfort, weary of the internal strife, 'quit the job' and went to the United States, leaving affairs in the hands of his chief justice. Immediately Juarez was involved in civil war by the assumption of the executive office by Zuloaga. It was while trying to displace his rival that the Indian patriot endeavored to borrow money from the United States and, as a part of the bargain, he agreed to treat the terms of which brought forth a storm of protest from England and France. By this treaty, which was never ratified, the United States was to have perpetual and unrestricted passage across both the Isthmus of Tehuantepec and the northern states of Mexico, and the right to employ American troops to enforce these rights as well as to protect American citizens against levies and loans.

"A short time later Juarez precipitated an international crisis by his decision to suspend for two years the payment of interest on the national debt. England, Spain and France sent fleets to Vera Cruz to force payment, but England and Spain soon withdrew, while France, her soldiers once on Mexican soil, decided to press her claims and gradually Napoleon's scheme for a western empire began to assume definite form. His scheme eventually in the abortive attempt to establish Archduke Maximilian of Austria on the throne of the Montezumas.

"It was during the famous defense of the city of Puebla against the invading French army that a young Mexican soldier, who was to become

the most conspicuous figure in the history of modern Mexico, distinguished himself by his bravery and his exceptional powers of leadership. This young hero was Porfirio Diaz, now known to fame as "the strong man of Mexico."

"It was in the center of the international bridge which connects Juarez and El Paso that President Taft and President Diaz (he who had been Juarez' military right hand) met in 1910, upon the occasion of the centenary celebration of Mexican independence.

"The traveler who passes through El Paso on his way to Juarez may choose any of four times by which to set his watch—Central, Mountain, Pacific and Mexican. Mountain time is an hour slower than Central, while Pacific is an hour slower and Mexican is 24 minutes faster than Mountain.

"On account of its bull-fights and cock-fights, Juarez has long been a city of feast-day pilgrimage for Americans in search of a new sensation. The Spaniards, who became addicted to the bull-fight habit in the 12th century, during the occupation of the Iberian peninsula by the Moors, introduced this sport into Mexico shortly after their overthrow of the Aztecs. The fights in Juarez are not so elaborately staged as those in Mexico City, for native bulls are used customarily, and these have not the ferocity of the animals imported by the capital from Andalusia, at a cost, frequently, of \$1,200 (Mexican) each.

"An important bull-fight day's the population of Juarez tops the 10,000 mark, while there is a relative temporary decrease in the size of the fifth city in Texas—El Paso, which had only 730 people in 1880 but which had grown to more than 38,000 in 1910."

LOWELL MAN ONE OF EIGHT DEMOCRATS TO VOTE FOR INVESTIGATION OF SWIG'S ELECTION

Special to The Sun

STATE HOUSE, Boston, May 10.—Representative Dennis A. Murphy of Lowell was one of the eight democratic members of the house who voted yesterday for the order providing for an investigation of the circumstances attending the election of Rep. Simon Swig of Boston. The order was defeated, after a debate lasting all day, by a vote of 106 to 113.

The other members of the Lowell delegation voted thus:

For the order: Representatives Crosby and Jewett.

Against the order: Representatives Achin, Lewis and O'Connell of Lowell; Coburn of Dracut and Bunting of Methuen.

Extending Car Lines

Action on the bill permitting the public service commissioners to order the Bay State street railway company to extend its tracks through Armory avenue was again postponed in the senate yesterday, the latest postponement being for one week. Senator Gordon of Springfield stated that the public service commissioners desire to prepare an amendment to the bill, but from another source it was learned that the amendment which the senator will offer next week will be one providing that the act shall not apply to franchises hereafter granted. That is, the commission will have the power to compel a street railway company to make use of a franchise granted prior to the passage of the act, but its power will stop there.

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Composer Hears "The Highwayman"—Concert With Mrs. Sundelius and Mr. Werrenrath

Real music and in good measure was the offering of the Lowell Choral society last evening at Keith's theatre. It was the annual spring concert, but the term "concert" scarcely describes it. Rather was it an evening of inspiration and delight to the large and distinguished audience that packed the theatre. The chorus of the Lowell Choral society may have done as well in recent offerings but it has certainly never done better. The soloists last evening sang over the footlights and right into the hearts of the audience. With the accompaniment of instrumental music of a really high standard, the concert comprised a musical ensemble that made Lowell for one evening at least forget the "pops," Boston Symphony, Boston Opera and all those other things that local culture likes to talk about. If there were not several from Boston in the audience of last evening, theirs is the loss.

The program included "Gallia" by Gounod with its solemn scriptural text and "The Highwayman" with the music by Deems Taylor set to the romantic poem of Alfred Noyes. This was followed by the whimsical "Song Cycle, The City of Joy" by Deems Taylor and a concert program with selections by the soloists of the evening. Mrs. Marie Sundelius, soprano and Mr. Reinold Werrenrath, baritone. There were also some classic numbers on the cello by Carl Webster, number by the choral society and orchestral offerings by the Boston Festival orchestra. Eusebius Hood, director, was accompanist.

The music of "Gallia" is occasionally heard in solemn church services. The text is from the biblical "Lamentations of Jeremiah" in those terrible and thrilling passages in which the prophet pictures the departed glory of Jerusalem and cries out in awful anguish of heart: "Behold and see if there be any sorrow that is like unto my sorrow." There is a mournful prelude on the strings and the chorus sings in a soft subdued tone that pictures the lamentation of the Jews looking at the desolation of the city that was full of people. The main appeal of the elegy is in its sadness as the music is almost monotonous, but as given last evening it was thrilling. The chorus kept the background of sobbing sorrow secondary and against this the lovely voice of Marie Sundelius soared in an intense cry that rose to the fine invocation, "Jerusalem, Jerusalem! O turn thee unto the Lord thy God."

The music of "The Highwayman" is the work of a man who must have loved and thoroughly understood the text. Mr. Deems Taylor has been doing serious work for only a few years, but the promise of the work produced last evening is a presage of great things. The cantata was written for the fifth festival of the MacDowell Memorial association and given its first performance at Peterborough, N. H., on August 19, 1914, with Mr. Hood conducting. Mr. Deems Taylor was present last evening and once again he saw a performance under the direction of Mr. Hood who is thoroughly enthused over the music. The story gives great opportunity for romantic variety and the composer made the most of it, introducing several distinct themes that are interwoven and contrasted with subtle effectiveness. There is a ghostly quality in the opening descriptive passages that show the daring rider galloping up to the old inn door where Bess waits for him "plaiting a black hair." How beautiful and romantic it is in the grand old fashioned way—and how poignant. The composer knows well the value of suspense, and after making one feel the tragedy that is surely in the air and after the marching of the pitiless soldiers—"King George's men"—the chorus tells how Bess stood up straight and still and "warned him—with her death!" The chorus did splendid work all through, keeping the volume subdued except where it was needed to tell effectively. There was a little and readiness of attack in the earlier passages that soon gave way to deliverance mood of mourning, and the answer to the lead of the conductor was ever intelligent.

Reinold Werrenrath made an ideal highwayman, both in voice and appearance—highwayman in a story of course)—young, handsome and vigorous, he sang the baritone solos with power and with great expression. His solo in Part I was perfect in its reflection of the spirit of the composition, and in the descriptive passages he made one feel the enthusiasm and the grandeur of the music that rises over the tragedy. The effectiveness of his voice in music of this sort is

well known to Lowell where he is always sure of a cordial welcome. His solo at the close with the chorus was a masterly interpretation, and one cannot imagine a singer that would give more life to the story than he. Later in the telling song cycle, Mr. Werrenrath showed ability of a different order, though the songs were scarcely worthy of either composer or singer. Even at the risk of being considered provincial, the writer regretted that so much good elaboration was wasted on such poor material. In a forward Mr. Werrenrath explained that the songs were originally entitled "of no importance" and it takes a love of New York which we have—not to make one value them to the full. Withal, they were quaint and whimsical, and were refreshing after the more serious music. There is a boyish playfulness in the singer that cropped up with fine effect in his singing of two old Irish airs, "Over and Hills and Far Away" and "Little Mary Cassidy," both of which were beautifully given. The composer, William Arms Fisher, was in the audience. "The House of Memories" was a delight, and the "Fuzzy-Wuzzy" ballad of Kipling was more than Kiplingsque.

Mrs. Sundelius sang as she always sings, with a voice clear as a bell, in perfect control and absolutely true. Never straining for effect or going outside of her vocal limitations, she gave a thorough artistic performance. Her

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singing in Gallia was impressively beautiful and her magnetism won the audience on her first appearance. Her voice is still fresh and young, but she has all the technical perfection of singers who have less voice and more experience. In the concert numbers her "Ave Maria" was exalted in its power, the Swedish folk song had a rollicking hit that caused a ripple of laughter through the house, and the "Fairy Fifers" was like a woodland brook when the ice is melting. Dunhill's setting of the wonderful words of Yeats, "The Cloths of Heaven," was beautifully rendered, albeit the program had it "clothes" of heaven, which, judging from pictures of the angels, is a negligible quantity.

The Choral society gave a fine rendering of "Drink to Me Only with Thine Eyes" and the closing Kermesse from "Faust" was as spirited as one could wish.

Collectively and individually, its members deserve all the praise they get from Mr. Hood—after rehearsals. Once again the Boston Festival orchestra gave pleasure to a Lowell audience. The Tschaikowsky suite of whimsical fancies was stimulating, somehow or other suggesting Peter Pan and fairy stories. They are all Danse des Danse that and they make people feel like dancing on their heads. At the abrupt close one is up in the air, but a laugh and a word to one's neighbor restores equilibrium. Mr. Webster gave a most effective rendering of Dvorak's "Indian Lament" and another number that reflected the Little Dances.

Throughout the program merited all the praise that was bestowed upon it by an appreciative audience. Among those present was Talairach, the pianist, and practically every musician in Lowell who is known as such. Mr. Hood, Mr. Spalding and all who contributed to the success of the occasion may feel pardonably proud of the result.

Following are the officers of the society for the present season:

Arthur C. Spalding, president; George S. Drew, vice president; Samuel Kershaw, treasurer; Harry Stock, secretary.

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NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

Senate Substitutes Revised Draft of State Board's Milk Bill Creating Board of Control

BOSTON, May 10.—The state senate yesterday, however, that Dr. McLaughlin had returned yesterday to the consideration of the bills to regulate the production and sale of pure milk, and by a vote of 21 to 13 substituted for a bill that was on the calendar the revised draft of the one originally drawn up by the state department of health.

The committees on agriculture and public health, sitting jointly, reported several days ago "no legislation necessary" on the milk question, but when the report came up in the senate on Monday Senator Cummings of Worcester persuaded the senate to substitute for the report a bill which authorized the state department of health to prohibit the sale of milk produced in a community where communicable diseases prevailed and also to compensate the producers for the loss of such milk.

Many members of the senate understood Senator Cummings to say on Monday that his bill was satisfactory to Mr. McLaughlin of the state department of health. For that reason they did not oppose the Cummings bill, and Senator Jackson of Lynn, who had intended to move substitution of the bill drawn by the state department of health, withdrew his bill and assented to the substitution of the Cummings' bill.

Shift from Cummings' Bill
It was stated in the debate yesterday

RESISTANCE TO DISEASE

Debility is a loss of vitality, not affecting any one part of the body particularly but the system generally. It is dangerous because it reduces the body's resistance to disease.

When debility follows acute diseases, convalescence is slow and the strength does not return as it should. An attack of the grip often results in debility that persists for months. Everybody recognizes that the remedy for debility is to build up the blood because the blood goes to every part of the body and an improvement in its condition is quickly felt throughout the system. The problem in every case is to find something that will enrich the blood.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills suit most people's need because they are non-alcoholic and they really build up the blood and strengthen the nerves. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are useful for growing children and for men and women whose nervous energy has been overdrawn. Try them whenever your blood is thin.

Your druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills or they will be sent by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes \$2.50 by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N.Y. Writeday for free booklets on the blood and nerves.

Teachers' Examination



Office of the Superintendent of Schools, Lowell, Mass., May 3, 1916.

On Saturday, June 24, 1916, at the Lowell high school, Kirk and Anne Sts., beginning at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, there will be a public examination of applicants for Lowell teachers' certificates of the third grade; these certificates apply to the primary and grammar grades of the schools.

Persons to be eligible to take this examination must be graduates of colleges or normal schools and must have had two years' successful experience as teacher.

All applicants must signify their intention of taking the examination by notifying the superintendent of schools in writing at least three weeks before the date of such examination, at which time the list will be closed and after which time no new names will be added.

The subjects of the examination will be Arithmetic, English, Grammar and Language, United States History and Civil Government, and Principles and Methods of Teaching.

Applicants are advised to forward certificates of graduation and successful experience at the time of sending notice of intention to take the examination.

HUGH J. MOLLOY,
Superintendent of Schools.

SIMON B. HARRIS
OFFICE, ROOM 4, CENTRAL BLOCK

Heirs' Sale Thursday, May 11th, at 2.30
O'Clock P. M.

Will be Sold at Public Auction on the Premises, the Following
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Consisting of a cottage containing 7 rooms, in good condition, well arranged, and modern conveniences; steam heat, known as No. 12 Loring street. The lot contains about 2300 square feet of land. Any person looking for a small, little home, well located in the Highlands, will do well to attend this sale, as this is one of the desirable places to live in.

We will proceed to sell the adjoining realty, known as No. 68 Loring street, at corner of Loring street, consisting of a two and a half story dwelling containing 9 finished rooms with modern conveniences, in good rental condition, always occupied and the present tenant would be glad to remain a tenant. Being located on a corner makes it very desirable.

Both of these pieces of Real Estate are in a very desirable part of the Highlands, within one minute's walk of the Westford, Highlands and Middlesex street electric cars, close to the square on Westford street at the junction of Loring, Pine, Westford and Hastings streets; close to churches, schools, a number of stores and post office. No better location for residential or renting property to be found in this locality. Attend the sale and secure a home of your own.

Terms: On the first described property, One Hundred Dollars (\$100) must be paid to the auctioneer when the property is struck off. On the second parcel, One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150) must be paid as soon as the property is struck off. Other terms will be made known at the time and place of sale.

Make all inquiries of the auctioneer, Simon B. Harris, at his office.

Auctioneer

By order of the Heirs.



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ton asked why if the state was to be used as a collection agency it should compel everybody to pay his bills once a month.

Mr. Sawyer said that some of the milk contractors made the farmers wait months for the money due them for milk. He argued that milk was different from other commodities in that there are many special laws applying to it and that it is perishable and easily controlled by a monopoly of contractors.

Chairman Warner wanted to know how many of these dishonest contractors there were. Representative Sawyer said there probably are a dozen or more, most of whom operate in one town after another, fleece the farmers right and left, and then move out of the state.

Representative Waterman L. Williams, Wilfred Wheeler, secretary of the state board of agriculture; Representative George P. Drury and P. M. Harwood, general agent of the dairy bureau, spoke in favor of the bill.

George Albrecht opposed the bill. He admitted that many farmers in Massachusetts are fleeced, but he did not think it fair to compel the small honest contractor to furnish a bond which would find it almost impossible to obtain.

FRENCH MILITARY MEDAL

HARVARD GRADUATE IN FLYING CORPS CITED FOR SECOND TIME IN ARMY ORDERS

PARIS, May 10.—Elliot Cowdin, of New York city, a graduate of Harvard, has just received the military medal and has been cited for the second time in army orders for his brilliant aviation exploits as a member of the Franco-American flying corps. The citation says of Cowdin, who is now a sergeant:

"He engaged voluntarily for the duration of the war and has shown remarkable bravery, dash and devotion. He defeated an enemy aeroplane in the recent operations and has attacked 12 enemy machines, of which one has been destroyed."

This is considered a notable tribute to the American flying legion which is composed of more than 50 Americans, most of them university graduates.

A bureau has been opened at 16 Champs Elysees for the purpose of recruiting additional American aviators.

LICENSE BOARD HEARING

REMONSTRANCE AGAINST POOL ROOM LICENSE ON DUTTON ST.—MINOR LICENSES GRANTED

Another chapter of evidence was presented at the meeting of the license commission last evening at the hearing of a remonstrance by Rose T. Rourke, who conducts a variety store at 285 Dutton street, against the issuance of a billiard and pool license to Fred Christos in premises adjoining his fruit store at 291 Dutton st.

Testimony that patrons of the variety store were insulted as they passed the pool room was offered by the remonstrant and her sister, Mrs. Margaret O'Loughlin. The board continued the matter without action.

The following six class liquor licenses were granted: John A. Osgood, Merrimack and Suffield streets; Clarence H. Holland, 4 Mammoth road; Richard S. Donghough, for F. & E. Bailey & Co.; Charles J. Sullivan, Gorham street.

Among the minor permits issued were the following: Express, John J. Keefe, North Chelmsford; Nicholas Theodore, 409 Market street; Michael J. Feeney, 16 Kinsman; Martin P. Haley, 66 Salem; John wagon, Spiros Comoutsos, 70 Duarmer; Auctioneer, William J. Courtnier, 325 Merrimack; Intelligence office, Sarah L. Anderson, 1018 Gorham; Hawker and peddler, Abram Klein, 131 Railroad; Nicholas Theodore, 409 Market; Fred Malo, Dracut Centre; Martin P. Haley, 66 Salem; Anthony Caza, 33 Lily avenue; Conlon, victualler, Elmer E. Chase, East Merrimack and Stackpole streets; Vassilios Petakos, 600 Market; Just collector, George Seecal; In rear of 51 Rock street, To sell, Frankford; William Johnson, 40 Howard; Second hand clothing, James Barberoff, 331 Central; Sunpermits, John J. Frasch, 1350 Middlesex; A. Couture, 285 Alken; M. Isidorian, 90 Lakeview avenue; S. Duranor, 431 Central; Mary Matthews, 7 Newhall; Maria Semple, 285 Lincoln; Hernon Desjardins, 232 Alken; Jenale L. Sullivan, 193 Broadway; Mary L. Cayer, 73 Branch; M. Yonokishian, 295 Central; Harriet J. Fleming, 142 Sixth avenue; Ida G. Bell, 363 Middlesex; Hazel Covishian, 59 Wadsworth; Marcella M. Lester, 4 Chestnut; James J. Gallagher, 252 Merrimack; Nancy Booth, 60 Lakeview ave.; Annie McKenna, 72 Bowlers; Nellie Dimphy, 425 Central; Rose Masterson, 534 Central; David Laitham, 823 Princeton; Sarah T. Ball, 351 Central; Minnie A. Clayton, 370 Central.

Mrs. Richard Wightman invested \$15,000 in a New Mexico mine a year ago and today is worth over \$3,000,000. After investing her money she went to work in a pair of overalls, and after making her husband president of the company she formed she then made herself general manager of the concern.

Just call at my office and we will go over the matter together and I will outline and tell you the cost of a trip that will sound pretty good to you. If it is more convenient for you to send your address on a postal card, I will do so and send you some pictures, maps, and reading material on the part of the West that you are most interested in.

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Then, too, I would like to tell you about BURLINGTON Service—just what this "boulevard" railroad offers you in comfort and pleasure; just how you are looked after every minute you are aboard with it, and how every train is anticipated and attended.

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BAD MAN KILLED

De La Garza, Smuggler, Informer of Villa, Shot by American Trooper

MARATHON, Tex., May 10.—Demetrio de la Garza, once known as the "bad man of the Big Bend country," met his death in a long range rifle duel with an American trooper on Monday in the hills near Boquillas. The cavalryman not only killed de la Garza, but the Mexican's companion as well. De la Garza kept a small trading store on the American side of the Rio Grande, but ranchers have long known him as a smuggler. News of his death was brought here today by J. W. Hudson, a truck contractor.

De la Garza resented the presence of American soldiers as a border patrol and he is said to have given advance information to the Villa bandits before their raid.

The arrival of the Russians was a great surprise to the general public in France, their coming being known only to officials and to only a few journalists in Paris. On the other hand, the sending of the contingent was in all probability perfectly well known to the German authorities, as two attempts were made by the Germans to attack the transports.

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CALLED TO WASHINGTON

RUSSIANS IN FRANCE

FIVE CONTINGENTS, NUMBERING 25,000, ARRIVED BY WAY OF SIERRA—TRIP OF 170,000 MILES

MARSEILLE, April 25 (Correspondence)—The second Russian contingent for France landed here today after a land journey of 7500 miles from Moscow by the Trans-Siberian railway to Port Daiby, Manchuria, and thence 10,000 miles by water transport through the Yellow and Chinese Seas, Indian Ocean, Red Sea, Suez canal, and Mediterranean sea.

The total number of Russian troops now landed, supplied with French rifles and equipment, is 25,000. They are marching to the School street cemetery. A driving squad would be at each post, and also a bugler. His report was unanimously adopted, and Mr. Derby was made chief marshal of the morning parade.

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sian troops have landed at Marseilles. On the basis of the size of the first two contingents something like 25,000 Russians are now in camp or in the field on the western front.

The voyage of the Russians constitutes a record in military transport history for distance and diversity of route. The soldiers are men specially chosen from every division of the Russian army. They were concentrated in Moscow under the supervision of Gen. Lochnitzky, who landed with the first contingent last Thursday.

There was bad weather at one or two periods, but on the whole the transit was unmarked by exciting incidents.

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morning of Memorial day. He favored the idea of the machines getting together, being decorated with flags, and passing in review before the municipal council, at city hall, at 8:30 o'clock on the morning of Memorial day. He felt that it would make a pretty picture, and hoped that this feature might be enlarged upon in years to come. His plan was to have the machines go up Merrimack street, to Central street, to Gorham street. Then, at Moore street, the machines carrying members of Post 15 would go to the Lowell cemetery, and from there to Tewksbury. Later they might go to the Hildreth burying ground, in Dracut.

Post 12 would go to the Edson and Westlawn cemeteries, and from there to Chelmsford, while Post 42 would go to St. Paul's and the Old English cemetery, and from the latter place to the School street cemetery. A driving squad would be at each post, and also a bugler. His report was unanimously adopted, and Mr. Derby was made chief marshal of the morning parade.

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Another good time, Fri. No. Billerica

CONDENMS EXECUTIONS

George Bernard Shaw Criticizes

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MORSE AND PUTNAM IN DISPUTE OVER BILL

Sharp Shots and Sidelights at Council Meeting — Alderman Morse Refuses to Pay Water Bill

DISCUSSION OF BILLS

Discussion of bills owed the water department by the street department resulted in some sharp passes at the meeting of the municipal council this forenoon. Commissioner Putnam presented a bill for \$2,000, which Commissioner Morse sturdily refused to pay and filed a counter bill for a little more than that amount. Mr. Morse declared that he would never pay the bill and while still declaring and expostulating, the council voted that the street department must pay its water bill just like any other water taker. The bill against the street department was for two years and Mr. Putnam stated that a bill for one year, reckoned on the same basis as ordinary water bills, would be nearly \$3,000, a speech that betrayed Mr. Putnam's intention to apply the regular water rate to the street department. It was some meeting.

The mayor called to order at about 10:30 o'clock and read two legal forms relative to the seizure of land in Fourth avenue for the proposed extension of the Pawtucket grammar school land in Kirk and Anne streets for the proposed high school, all of which resulted in the council voting the mayor the authority to sign the necessary papers.

Boutwell Brothers petitioned for a license to keep gasoline and a garage and the petition was set down for a hearing on Wednesday, May 11, at 10

o'clock in the forenoon.

The petition of Herman S. Ellbur of 40 First street for license as a private detective was referred to the law department.

The council then took up the matter of bus stands in Paige street, but nothing definite was arrived at. Patrick Keegan wants to occupy the stand granted by the council to Amos Best. "Mr. Best," said the mayor, "was the first to come to us and we granted him the stand. If we allow another man to occupy the same stand there is bound to be a conflict." It was then decided to let the matter rest for the present, Mr. Morse agreeing to make further investigation.

Notice of personal injury claim by Julia Cole of 485 Pawtucket street was referred to the law department.

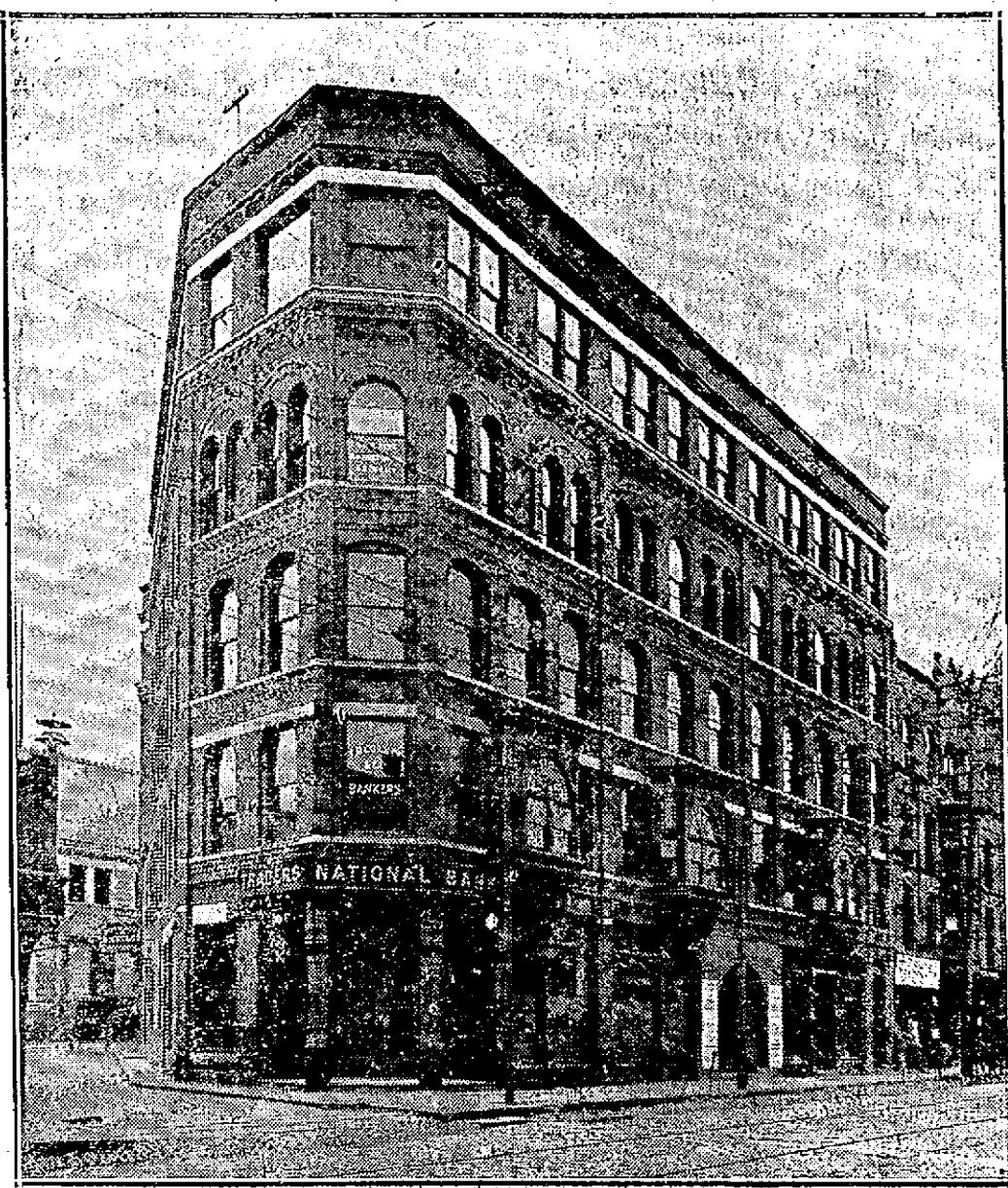
The Lowell Motor Mart applied for permission to sell gasoline at 140 Ford street and 47 Merrimack street, and the matter was referred to Commissioner Putnam and Fire Chief Saunders. The same company applied for a permit to erect and use an ornamental gasoline pump at its store in Tilley street and the permit, on recommendation of Commissioner Morse, was granted.

PUTNAM-MORSE CONTROVERSY

When the mayor asked if there was

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TRADERS BANK BLDG. SOLD PINDER HEARING OPENS BEFORE JUDGE ENRIGHT



THE TRADERS BANK BUILDING, MIDDLESEX STREET

John J. Pinder, Former Police Messenger, on Witness Stand—Other Witnesses Sworn

The petition of John J. Pinder for a review of the action of Mayor James E. O'Donnell in abolishing the office of police messenger came up for hearing in the police court this afternoon, before Judge Thomas J. Enright.

The court asked Mr. Murphy why it was necessary to show anything occurring in 1912 and Mr. Murphy said it was necessary, in order to show good faith or lack thereof on the part of Hon. James E. O'Donnell.

Questioned by Mr. Murphy, Mr. Pinder said that Mayor O'Donnell had never intimated to him that his services were unnecessary, and said that Mayor O'Donnell allowed him his wages when he was sick for three months, from Jan. 10, 1913, to April 1 of the same year. Mr. Murphy sought to show that the department of public safety was given a larger appropriation in 1915 than in 1913, that no extra expenses attached to the department in 1916, and yet the office of messenger was abolished in 1916, under the guise of economy.

To this attempt, former Mayor Dennis J. Murphy appeared for Mr. Pinder and City Solicitor Varnum for the mayor. There were several witnesses for the petitioner.

The hearing was begun at 2:15 o'clock, counsel for the petitioner reading the records of the case and communications connected therewith, including the order of the court.

Mr. Varnum then asked that the hearing be discharged as there were no charges against the petitioner, simply the abolition of the position, and inasmuch as he had been removed because the office had been done away with, he was no longer entitled to the protection of the civil service.

The court quoted certain sections from the case of Gardner vs. City of Lowell, and denied the motion to dismiss.

The witnesses sworn included the petitioner, John J. Pinder, City Auditor Paige, City Messenger Monahan, Police Officer Paige, James Flanagan, J. J. Flanagan, and others.

The petitioner, John J. Pinder, was the first witness. He said he had been in the employ of the police department almost 11 years. He was about to relate the duties performed by him when objection was offered by Mr. Varnum on the ground that the duties of a police messenger was a question of law rather than the verification of an individual, and that witness could not testify beyond the scope of his position as messenger.

There was some controversy over this point and the court then ordered that witness to testify to his duties as messenger. Mr. Varnum, after various objections,

Counsel for petitioner said it didn't make any difference at this time as to what might be admitted as his petitioner's duties, that it would all be taken care of when the evidence was in, and in reply to other suggestions by Mr. Varnum relative to what was left to the imagination in the course of petitioner's testimony, the court said that that could be satisfied in cross-examination.

Mr. Pinder testified to being assistant to Supt. Moffatt in the taking and recording of finger prints, and Mr. Varnum said that in no place in the world would a messenger's duties include finger prints. He said that the word messenger had never been defined by law and that it simply rested with the construction of the court.

"You are harping on messenger," said the court.

"I certainly am," said Mr. Varnum, "and I have filed my objection."

"I want to find out what he was doing as messenger," said the court, and doing so told Mr. Pinder to proceed. Mr. Varnum continued to offer further objection.

Mr. Pinder had related his duties under the old charter and was proceeding to relate duties added under the new charter, when Mr. Varnum objected again on the ground that the hearing should hold to the duties con-

tinuing to the new charter.

The court then proceeded to testify as to appropriations, costs and transfers having to do with the police department.

The court called a halt, however, after several amounts had been stated and said he didn't see what benefit such information would be to him.

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Purchased by Washington Savings Bank Subject to Title Being Satisfactory—Price Said to Be \$63,000—Affairs of Traders to Be Wound Up

The Washington Savings Institution of this city has made an offer for the purchase of the property known as the Traders Bank building on Middlesex street, Lowell, and Mr. H. G. Murray, the receiver, has notified the bank that the offer has been approved by the comptroller of the currency in Washington, D. C., and an order has been issued by the United States court authorizing the sale. The papers have not been passed as the offer made by

the Washington Savings Institution is subject to the title being satisfactory. The building is assessed for \$70,200 and the land for \$27,550, making a total of \$97,750.

It is reported that the price is to be \$63,000 but the officials of the savings bank would not make any statement relative to the price. This is one of the final steps for getting the last cent available for the depositors of

the defunct Traders bank and savings department thereof. The bank was declared insolvent Oct. 20, 1913 and since that time 50 per cent. of the deposits have been paid. The total liabilities were \$2,388,994.37 and the amount since paid in dividends is \$2,254,513.54. The last dividend was paid March 15. It is probable that the final dividend will soon be paid and thus clear up the affairs of the bank.

LOWELL PLAYS BRIDGEPORT IN FIRST LOCAL LEAGUE GAME OF THE 1916 SEASON



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Preceded by an automobile parade, flag raising and other exercises, the Lowell baseball team played its first home game in the newly organized Eastern league at Spalding park this afternoon. Though the weather was doubtful and cloudy, the rain held off and the game started at 3 o'clock, with a good sized attendance. Starting from headquarters of the Lowell Baseball club the parade, consisting of 14 automobiles, containing the members of the municipal council, team owners and members of the Lowell team and newspaper representatives, headed by the Sixth Regiment band, proceeded up Merrimack street, around Monument square, back Merrimack to Central, and then to the railroad station in Middlesex street, where the Bridgeport players, who were several hours late in arriving, were met at 1:45 o'clock.

With the Bridgeport players in line the parade returned down Middlesex street, through Central street to Merrimack square and then to the ball park. Several hundred spectators, including many women, witnessed the parade from the sidewalks all along the route and greeted the Lowell play-

ers. The Lowell players appeared in

their new white uniforms for the first time, and the visitors appeared in their dark gray travelling suits. The Lowell team took the field for practice first and Manager Lord put his men through a fast workout.

With the Bridgeport players over since the league opened, Manager Lord was satisfied with the showing made by his team during the 12 days trip through the cities in the southern end of the circuit and was confident that Lowell will give a much better performance than on the recent trip.

Much depends on the pitching sta-

tion, and the boxmen are traveling now they certainly look good. The Bridgeport team as it appeared on the field to warm up looked very formidable, much attention being given to batting practice. None of the visitors were more conspicuous than Jake Boules, former captain of the local team in the old New England league. Boules played shortstop. There are many strange faces in the lineup of both teams. Lord, Downey, Torphy appeared in Lowell uniforms for the first time, while the Bridgeport team with the exception of Boules was composed of players never before seen in New England league baseball.

The two teams headed by the Sixth regiment band marched from the grand stand down to centre field to the flag pole accompanied by Owners Connor and Roach and circled around the flagpole. The flag was raised to the top of the staff while the band played the Star Spangled Banner, and the players stood with uncovered heads. When the flag was hoisted to the top of the pole it was discovered that the stars and stripes were upside down and the performance had to be repeated. After the players had returned to the plate Owners Connor and Roach were called to the centre of the diamond and Benjamin J. Maloney, Esq., presented Mr. Roach a beautiful basket of flowers, the gift of intimate friends. Mr. Roach also received a handsome floral horseshoe and wreath from the Washington club. The floral wreath stood fully 15 feet from the ground and was one of the most beautiful ever presented to a local ball magnate. The presentation was made by Register of Deeds William Purcell on behalf of members of the club. When these exercises took place there was loud applause from the grandstand and bleachers.

Fans at the game were interested in the appearance of the teams as both Managers Lord and Ball only a few years ago were in the major leagues. Bridgeport's star pitcher, Walsh, did mound duty today. He defeated a brother of Big Ed Walsh, who defeated Lowell at the opening game of the

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FOR ADMISSION TO WEST POINT

BOSTON, May 10.—Gov. McCall was requested today by the war department to name three candidates from the enlisted men of the state militia to take a competitive examination for admission to West Point. June 6 was set as the date for the tests, which will be held at Fort Banks, in Boston harbor. Gov. McCall said he would select the candidates by competitive examination, if there was time.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SIX DAY BAZAAR

Big Event for St. Louis' Church—Big Attendance—Fine Program

A large attendance, exceptionally good business and a varied entertainment program marked the opening of the six-day bazaar in the parochial school of St. Louis' parish last evening, the event being given under the auspices of the various church and fraternal organizations of the parish for the benefit of the new church now under construction. The attractive

"Correspondance" was prevented in a very commendable way by Mrs. O. J. David and Arcille Brunelle.

The various sales tables and those in charge were as follows:

Children of Mary Sodality, dolls and notions—Chairman, Miss Lucile Mallet; aids, Misses Alida Ducharme, Christine Ducharme, Marie Anne Guerette, Eva Lequin, I. Dallaire, C. Daigle, Y. and A. Lafontaine, C. Caron, E. Dupuis, C. Hebert, A. Bourassa, R. A. Ducharme, P. Caisse, I. Montral, Eva Caron and others.

Parish table—Chairman, Adelard St. Jean; Mrs. Joseph Lemieux, Mrs. A. Foley, Miss Marie Albert, Ovide Demers, Louis Ferland, Albert St. Jean, Miss Maria Asselin, Mrs. W. Asselin, Miss Marie A. Therriault, Miss Rose St. Jean, Mrs. A. Jodoin, Misses Blanche and Rose Roussel, Mrs. M. Roussel and A. Roussel and Miss Blanche Jodoin.

Sacred Heart League, hoop-la and bonbons—Chairman, Elzear Massic; Charles Bourret, Auguste Desnars, P. Boudreau, Hector Jodoin, Wilfrid Desmarais, Edouard Landry and Harry Champagne.

Branch St. Louis, A.C.F.—Chairman, Joseph Guimette; H. Poirier, Thomas Savard, Arsene and Armand Trudeau. Tonies Court St. Louis, F.P.A.—Chairman, Auguste Jodoin; Damien Malle, Olivier Malle, Joseph Levy, Henri Lepine and Harry Decelle.

Centralville Social Club, Dame Fortune—Chairman W. Vincent; A. Brauchaud, Lucius Mayrand, Alfred Jean Marie, Alfred Lusser, Wilfrid Pigeon and A. Emond.

Garde St. Louis, novelties—Chairman, Xavier Aubry; Edmond Gamache, Julie Morissette, David Lamontagne and Arsene Guy.

Former girl students of St. Louis' school—Chairman, Miss Marguerite DeLorme, Almina Demers, Clare Despres, Anne Dallaire, Eva Despres, Antoinette and Evangelie Chaput, Lina Patenaude, Louise Bonnot, J. Hardy, M. Renaud and A. Daigle.

Ste. Anne Sodality—Chairman, Mrs. G. Caron; Mrs. N. Gachot, Mrs. A. Bellefeuille, Mrs. T. Savard, Mrs. A. Brachaud, Mrs. E. Bolduc, Mrs. W. Parent, Mrs. E. Martin, Mrs. J. Michaud, Mrs. L. Favreau, Mrs. R. Monier, Mrs. A. Gervais, Mrs. E. Mercier, Mrs. J. D'Amour, Mrs. A. Chaput, Mrs. J. Prieurau, Mrs. A. Mallet, Mrs. A. Dumas and Mrs. Thibierge.

Third Order of St. Francis Sodality—Chairman, Mrs. Eugenie Vincent, Mrs. Whirid Gendreau, Mrs. Caliste Lequin, Mrs. Eliot N. Breaux, Mrs. Theodore Harnois, Mrs. Auguste Desmarais, Mrs. L. Lord, Mrs. Joseph Lambert, Mrs. Ida Lambert, Mrs. Philomena Larose and Mrs. B. Asselin.

Former boy students of St. Louis' school—Chairman, Armand Vaud, Paul Foley, Leo Demers, Stephen Toupin and Leodore Vian.

The general committee in charge of the bazaar is as follows: Chairman, Pierre Brousseau; aids, Charles Bourret and Mrs. Godfrey Caron; secretary, Miss Marie S. Mallet; and treasurer, Rev. J. B. Labossiere, pastor.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Several interesting reports were submitted at the regular meeting of Court Merrimack, No. 11, Foresters of America, held last evening in Grafton hall. Edward J. McInerney presided. Four applications for membership were read and two candidates were voted upon. The woodsmen reported that these brothers are convalescing: Thomas McCabe, Thomas Hayden, John Lyons, Hugh Mellen and Joseph Boyce. Under the head of new business many matters of importance were transacted. Under the good of the order remarks were made by John Barrett, Richard J. Townsend, James A. Hearn and John F. Sullivan. At the close of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed.

Echo Lodge, N.E.O.P.

The regular meeting of Echo Lodge, N.E.O.P., was held last evening in Post 185 hall with a large attendance. It was announced that Deputy Grand Warden Dora N. Cole, accompanied by Grand Warden Asa Smith, will visit the lodge at the next meeting. A committee consisting of Oswald J. Bertrand,

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The latest 5th Avenue styles are here on sale this week.

The new tailored lines with the graceful fullness at the hips; navy and new hair line stripes at

**\$25.00 and
\$29.50**

WORTH UP TO \$37.00

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May Suit Sale

A tremendous line of handsome suits on sale this week at special and reduced prices. We are going to make this week a record breaker. Fortunate purchases of new creations make this possible.

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A large assortment of stylish suits, in all shades, including black and white checks; were \$16.95 and \$18.00. Special price this week

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SUITS

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\$17.95

A fine lot of smart sample suits, taken from our \$20.00 and \$25.00 line. On sale at

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SUITS

AT
\$19.95

Regular \$25.00, \$27.50, \$29.50, one of a kind. Suits including taffeta combinations. Sale price

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SILK SUITS

AT
\$25, \$29.50

All of our high grade chiffon, taffeta suits including a fine lot of new sample suits, worth \$35.00 to \$45.00. Sale price

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Chairman General Committee

sales tables in various corners of the hall, the splendid decorations, the numerous electric bulbs and the fine garments worn by the members of the fair sex, all added greatly to the brilliancy of the occasion.

In attendance were people from all parts of the city as well as several from out-of-town and a brisk business was the feature of the evening. The guests were welcomed by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Labossiere, who in a brief address explained the purpose of the bazaar and he informed his listeners with the completion of the new church building Lowell will possess another splendid temple of which the French-Americans of this city and particularly of West Centralville, will be proud. He also stated that the hall will be open for the bazaar on the evenings of May 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20.

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WILSON KAISER'S MASTER

Paris Papers Call President's Note to Germany a Masterpiece of Diplomacy

PARIS, May 10.—Great prominence is given by the newspapers of Paris this morning to the latest American note to Germany, replying to the communication respecting submarine warfare. The American note is spoken of as a masterpiece of diplomacy.

The Mathis says the American note places Germany in a cruel dilemma, her suggestions having been rejected, but her promises registered so that they will have to be kept. It continues:

"It must be clear to all neutrals that Germany has suffered an unprecedented diplomatic defeat. It will be interesting to see how the German government explains to the public that it has consented radically to modify submarine warfare without obtaining the slightest compensation in exchange."

One of the most important points to be noted in regard to the American reply, in the opinion of the Petit Parisien is that it ignores the allusion in the German note to the chancellor's two declarations in the Reichstag in regard to peace negotiations. This paper says:

"If Emperor William desired to catch President Wilson in a trap, the emperor is caught in his own toils. He has met his master. There remains nothing for him to do except either to accept the American note at the risk of losing the fury of the German governmental parties or to take upon himself the initiative in bringing about a rupture which would entail serious consequences for Germany."

THINK U-BOAT DISPUTE OVER

Washington Officials Expect No Reply From Berlin—Believe Cymric Forfeited Immunity

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The White House, state department and German embassy last night appeared to be satisfied that the diplomatic record in the general submarine issue is closed, with the exception of a settlement of the scores which the United

States holds against Germany in the Lusitania and other cases.

The state department indicated clearly that it expects no answer from Germany on the president's note, which was printed yesterday. Secretary Lansing seemed to be satisfied that the prolonged correspondence with Herr von Jagow, the German foreign minister, has come to a conclusion.

The German embassy appeared to be satisfied that the foreign office will accept the American position and Herr von Jagow will simply refer the president's final communication to the chancellor with the suggestion that it requires no answer.

In all well-informed circles the opinion prevailed that the only communication which the German government is likely to send to Washington within the near future might be a suggestion of arbitration of the principles underlying the entire submarine question.

The impression is general in diplomatic circles that as soon as Germany has satisfied this government by actions that it intends to live up to the promises given, Secretary Lansing may inform Count von Bernstorff that the hour has arrived for a settlement of the Lusitania case.

The disavowal is for Sec. Lansing's desk. As soon as the president is satisfied of the sincerity of the German promises he will give the word to accept the German note.

Sec. Lansing yesterday declined to discuss the Cymric case, because the government is not in possession of enough facts to consider the case intelligently from the standpoint of the German promises. There is a general opinion at the state department that when the evidence is all in the facts will show that the Cymric either by her character as an admiral vessel or by her course on the high seas, had forfeited the immunity which purely merchant vessels have a right to expect when overhauled by submarines.

REPLY REACHES BERLIN

BERLIN, May 9, 10:30 p. m., via London, May 10, 3:10 a. m.—President Wilson's reply to Germany accepting Germany's promise of change in her methods of submarine warfare, has reached Berlin, but has not yet been handed to the German government by Ambassador Gerard.

HELD MILITARY WHIST

ENJOYABLE SOCIAL EVENT IN LINCOLN HALL FOR ST. PETER'S ORPHANAGE

One of the most successful social events conducted in Lincoln hall this season was the military whist party and dance given last evening in aid of St. Peter's orphanage. The hall was prettily decorated with colored bunting, outlining the balcony front and streamers extending from the sides to a chandelier in the centre. Tables were set on the main floor and the whist was enjoyed by a large number of young people. The prize winners were as follows: Ladies—First, Miss Madelita Gormley; second, Miss Lucy Spillane; third, Miss Rose Dowd. Gents—First, Leo Mullin; second, Stephen Shelvey. Following the whist dancing was Doyle's orchestra furnishing the music. The committee in charge was: Chairman, Mrs. Henry L. Rourke; Miss Lulu Ginty, Miss Jessie McKeon, Daniel O'Dea, Cornelius J. O'Neill and Arthur T. Cull.

GREENHALGE COUNCIL, 100, I.A.

At the close of the meeting of Greenhalge council, No. 100, Loyal association in Highland hall, last night, a delightful concert was listened to, given on a new Senora phonograph kindly loaned by H. C. Kittredge of this city, and the operator displayed its many new features to good advantage. During the concert the members and invited guests were served strawberries, cake and ice cream.

WILL OF W. S. MURPHY

Entire Estate Left to Harvard to Provide Scholarships For Men Named Murphy

BOSTON, May 10.—The will of William S. Murphy, by which his entire estate of \$40,000 was left to Harvard college to provide scholarships for young men named Murphy, was admitted to probate today. Two cousins in Worcester and New Haven, Conn., who had contested the will, withdrew their objections after an argument by which they received a small amount. The testator, a graduate of Harvard 31 years ago, had died without immediate kin.

RIVERS AND HARBORS BILL

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Senator Kenyon, republican, who has spoken against the rivers and harbors bill for several hours when the senate recessed last night, continued his speech today.

Senators Sherman, who with Senator Kenyon, signed a minority report against the bill, was prepared to speak when the senator from Iowa yielded the floor.

SINKING OF BRAZILIAN SHIP

RIO JANEIRO, May 10.—The German minister, replying to the note of the Brazilian government in regard to the sinking of the Brazilian steamship Rio Branco by a German submarine, informed the chancery today that his government undoubtedly would receive willingly any communication on the subject addressed to it by Brazil. The minister also expressed his satisfaction that the crew of the Rio Branco had been saved. As soon as the official inquiry into the sinking of the ship is concluded a demand for indemnity will be presented to Berlin.

LOWELL YEAR BOOK

Officials of the Lowell board of trade have started this morning on compiling their year book and they hope to have the pamphlet out about the middle of the summer. The volume this year will be different from all others published thus far by the board, for it will be in the form of a "World's Almanac" for Lowell. Inasmuch as it will contain considerable information concerning Lowell's her industries, her business and considerable other data which will prove of some benefit to the public in general.

5 Lbs. SUGAR 35c

When Sold With

1 lb. COFFEE.....25c

BOTH FOR60c

Tomato Soup, can...6½c



EVERYBODY LOOKS FORWARD TO Cherry & Webb's Annual May Sale

Our buyers in New York last week were busy rounding up garments up to the Cherry & Webb standard. The labor strike is on; not a wheel moving; 75,000 operatives idle. We want to protect you and are prepared with a heavy stock. We want quick action and COMMENCING TODAY we will show our supremacy by quoting you prices that will make a record. So don't delay, but be on hand and get your share.

HUNDREDS WILL PROFIT BY IT

REMARKABLE OFFERINGS OF WOMEN'S

\$22.50 AND \$25.00

SUITS

Every new model for Spring—ripple, flare and belted effects.

Rookie, green, tan, open and navy. \$15.75

Choice

300 SAMPLE SUITS—\$27.50 to \$30.00 Everywhere—Gabardines, Fine Poplins and Mannish Serges. Tailored and fancy styles. Choice..... \$18.50

No Store Can Show You So Many

COATS

Smart Models—Belted or Flare

200 Fine Coats—in Serges, Mixtures and Sport Cloths. All \$8.98 values. Choice..... \$5.98

On Sale in Fashion Basement

225 Coats—Coverts, Checks, Mixtures. New advance models. All \$12.98 values..... \$8.98

On Sale in Fashion Basement

Women's and Misses' \$15 Coats—Advance models. Coverts, Mixtures and Checks; showing the latest collars. Choice..... \$10.50



NEW SUMMER DRESSES

SECOND FLOOR

Voiles in various models; waists trimmed with smart collars; skirts in the newest styles, \$7.50 values, \$4.98

Hundreds of New Wash Skirts, Also Silk and Awning Stripe Sport Skirts in Stock—for Today

\$7.50 SKIRTS..... \$5.00

\$8.98 SKIRTS..... \$6.75

\$10.00 SKIRTS..... \$7.50

GIRLS' \$4.00 COATS..... \$2.98

GIRLS' \$5.00 WHITE DRESSES..... \$2.98

NEW SUMMER LINEN DRESSES

SECOND FLOOR

French Linen and Beach Cloth Dresses, \$7.98 values, \$5.98

Strictly Tailored and Lingerie models, \$1.50

BLouses, at..... 98c

Women's \$3 Silk Blouses, China Silk and Stripes. Sizes 36 to 44..... \$1.98

WOMEN'S SUMMER DRESSES

SECOND FLOOR

Smart models in Linen, Net and Novelty goods, \$10 values, \$7.98

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EXTRA SPECIAL FASHION BASEMENT

150 SUITS—Values up to \$18.75. Beginning Wed.

Choice..... \$12.75



CASES IN POLICE COURT THE MEXICAN SITUATION

Fine of \$50 for Selling Hard Cider—Stroila Gets 18 Months —Youths Stole Auto

Ammunition for Bandits Seized—Hawaiian Militia Volunteers Services—Conference Resumed

John A. Hastings, who conducts a small variety store in Lawrence street, was fined \$50 this morning in the police court by Judge Enright for the illegal sale of liquor. Through his counsel, Edward J. Tierney, he appealed and was held in the sum of \$300 for his appearance before the superior court.

It is claimed that Hastings sold cider which contained more alcohol than the law allows to employees of the U. S. Marine Corps and a complaint was made against him by officers of the company. Testifying in his own behalf Hastings said that he purchased the cider, believing it to be sweet cider, and that he did not know what it contained alcohol.

Given 18 Months

Peter Stroila, who was arrested in this city during the early part of April with Mrs. Dora Hoffman and later taken back to Fond du Lac on a charge of abducting the woman, has been sentenced to jail for a term of 18 months, by the Fond du Lac authorities. Stroila and the woman when arrested were booked for illegal combination. While they were being detained awaiting trial a complaint reached here from Fond du Lac charging Stroila with abducting the Hoffman woman. Stroila fought extradition for a time but was later taken to the Michigan hamlet by Sheriff Fleck. The woman was let go on her promise that she will go to live with relatives in Fond du Lac.

NO ANSWER TO SCOTT'S MESSAGE TO OREGON

EL PASO, Tex., May 10.—No answer had been received early today from Washington to Gen. Scott's message reporting Gen. Obregon's proposal for a joint patrol of the international boundary.

Gen. Scott said today his conference would be held regardless of whether a reply was received to the plan of the Mexican minister of war.

Gen. Pershing has been ordered to begin a greater concentration of his troops. Those detachments still operating as far south as San Antonio, it was reported, will be withdrawn to Colonia Dublan.

NO CARRANZA TROOPS

MARCHING ON COLUMBUS

COLUMBUS, N. M., May 10.—Rumors that 3500 Carranza soldiers were marching on Columbus and that Gen. Pershing's rear guard had been attacked were dispelled hard today after a reconnaissance flight made by Capt. T. F. Dodd of the Aero corps.

Capt. Dodd flew over territory 75 miles to the south and west of Columbus. He reported seeing no Mexican soldiers.

10,000 IN ADDITIONAL FORCE FOR BORDER DUTY

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Virtually the last American troops in the United States were being mobilized today for Mexican border service. With the National Guard of three states they were under orders to hasten to reinforce Gen. Funston's army. The total of between \$100 and 10,000 included 11

companies of coast artillery ordered out last night by Secretary Baker.

The proposed military agreement between the Carranza and American governments remained unsigned and Gen. Obregon, Mexican war minister, after a three-hour discussion with Gen. Scott last night arranged for another conference today.

If the situation warrants, National Guards of other states will be called out for border patrol duty, officials declared. Secretary Baker stated, however, that no further mobilization orders are contemplated immediately.

Report Concurred Uprising.

Unofficial reports were received that Mexicans along the entire border had planned for today a concerted uprising. From Mazatlan on the west coast of Mexico, came word that the consul had been warned by anonymous letters that the consulate would be blown up. All Americans were urged to leave Mexico within 48 hours. These reports increased anxiety over the situation among officials today.

In addition to the 4000 soldiers and an equal number from Texas, New Mexico and Arizona, ordered to the border yesterday, Secretary Baker announced about 1000 soldiers comprising eleven companies of United States coast artillery stationed at gulf and Atlantic seaboard posts had been ordered to San Antonio to serve as infantry with the border patrol.

45,000 Now on Duty

The secretary also said five batteries of the Fifth Field artillery had been ordered from Fort Sill, Okla.

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Official estimates placed the number of troops now on Mexican duty under mobilization at about 45,000.

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ANOTHER CONFERENCE BY GENS. SCOTT AND OBREGON

EL PASO, Tex., May 10.—Increasing confidence in the ability of Generals Scott and Obregon to effect an agreement as to the status of the American punitive expedition in Mexico was evident on both sides of the Rio Grande today, notwithstanding the situation was not materially altered by the conference in their three hours talk last night. The optimism appeared based largely upon the admission that another conference would be held, perhaps today, and that Obregon and his military advisers maintained attitudes of hopefulness.

The net result of the conferences already held is that the Mexican representatives yet insist upon placing the question of the withdrawal of Gen. Pershing's forces ahead of the question of co-operation.

Gen. Scott was expected to receive from the war department a communication on which

declaration

FROM WILSON

MEXICO CITY, May 9.—Dr. Atl, leader of the Mexican labor party, and intimate friend of Gen. Carranza, sent a cablegram tonight to President Wilson declaring that the Mexican people and all Latin-America want a categorical declaration from him as to his policy toward the Latin-American republics. The cablegram read in part:

DURANGO VERY RICH

development, while 1,000,000 head of stock find rich pasture on its fertile tableland.

The Nazas river, which empties into Lake Habis, is the principal waterway of the state. It is known as the Nile of Durango. In the spring, as the snow melts, the river inundates its valley, leaving a rich deposit of silt brought down from the mountains. After the waters have receded the land bursts into bloom like a miniature Egypt, cotton, barley, and wheat growing in great luxuriance, while the whole landscape assumes the aspect of a flower garden.

"One of the most interesting trees

Durango is surpassed in the number of its mining properties, aggregating more than 4000; by only two states in Mexico—Chihuahua and Sonora. Its natural resources include silver, gold, lead, tin, copper, sulphur and rubies. The state's wealth is not confined to minerals, however, for there are extensive forests of valuable timber and the agricultural resources are capable of almost unlimited de-

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The city of Durango, capital of the state, enjoys a matchless climate which has earned it the sobriquet, "town of sun-shine." It is one of the oldest Spanish settlements in the republic, having been founded by Captain Ibarra two years before the followers of Don Pedro Menendez de Aviles initiated the permanent colonization of the United States at St. Augustine. The site of the present city was learned by the adventurer and silver seeker Mercado, who in 1532 discovered the famous Iron mountain of the suburbs. When Ibarra arrived with his colonists the country was occupied by nomadic savage tribes.

Durango derives its name from the old Spanish town of that name, in the Basque provinces.

Another good time, Fri., No. Bitterica

AMUSEMENT NOTES

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Three headline features, utterly dissimilar in their methods of evoking interest, make one of the strongest batteries presented at the B. F. Keith theatre during the entire season. The present is the 37th and last week of vaudeville at this splendid theatre, and to close the season the management has provided a bill of novelty. Anna Chandler, one of the very best of singing comedienne in the land, is the underlined feature of the bill. Miss Chandler sings mostly, but she talks a little, particularly with relation to her closing number, the waltz song, "Rolling Stones." This latter number is absolutely new here and it is one of the most bewitching songs heard here in a long time. But it isn't one song that makes Miss Chandler's performance a hit, any more than one swallow makes a summer. There are several of them, and they are all good. She will rank as one of the season's biggest hits. Add Hoyt's minstrels, with Tom Clifford as the interlocutor, are specially pleasing. They follow the prescribed formula of minstrel performances, and therefore give tender ballads and comic numbers, and some rattling good ensembles. Lew Russell and Leo Pelletier, in their solos, are roundly applauded, and the refrains, taken up by the quintet, result in encores being demanded. But, after all, the end songs of Add Hoyt and John Horan, make the biggest hits of the performance. Both men are very good, and Hoyt's "Fall River Line" song, with local stanzas, pleases so well that audiences never get quite enough. James Diamond and Silvy Brennan in "Nonsense" are sure winners. Diamond is almost a whole show in himself. He is singer, comedian, acrobat and dancer, while Miss Brennan is exceedingly good to look upon, a good singer and a graceful dancer. They weave many good things into their act, and easily rank with some of the best performers of the entire season. Ed Gordon and Ida Day, in "Silent Nonsense," combine eccentric bicycling with comedy. Gordon is one of the best trap comedians in the business, and in addition he is a very funny man on the wheel. Miss Day is as pretty as a picture and a good rider. In "The Politician," William Wilson & Co. have a farce comedy which is built purely for the purpose of causing laughter. Wilson has an explosive style about his work which is calculated to make one scream with delight. Cahill, Clifton & Goss, two maidens and a man, in a singing and dancing skit, are well gotten up for their work, and Tom Kuma, the Jap with the novel rings, is somewhat out of the ordinary as an opener to the bill. The Selig-Travel motion pictures show many new scenes taken in different parts of the world. Next week the supplementary season will open with the biggest film features obtainable. Triangle and Keystone pictures will be used almost exclusively, and Marie Doro will be featured the first half of the week. Watch for the announcements.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE
The stellar bill which has been attracting the attention of local theatre-goers to the Merrimack Square theatres during the past two days, will be shown at the continuous performances today for the last time. "David Garrick" is a play which no one can afford to miss and this is the last opportunity to witness it. This play portrays in a most interesting manner the chief events, especially the romance in the life of the noted Garrick who bent all his efforts to elevate the stage. Dustin Farnum appears in the role of David Garrick and impersonates the character to perfection. "One Day" by Eleanor Glynn is one of those plays which is seen only occasionally, for plays of its merit are not filmed every day. Be sure to see Jeanne Ivers in the leading part of this play today. The Sis Hopkins comedy and the interesting Pathé News will also be shown today for the last time.

If your name happened to be Nora and you were a poverty-stricken Irish lassie who was coming over from the old country to America to visit your brother, and if that brother was nowhere to be found, would you do what Nora O'Brien did? After being attacked by a knight of the streets, she woke up in a beautifully furnished room where several kind faces clustered about her and lovingly called her "cousin."

Those who attend the Merrimack Square theatre will find out what Nora did when confronted with this problem. It is the basis of the story of "The Innocent Lie," the five-act photo-play in which Valentine Grant is appearing at the Merrimack Square theatre during the next three days. The beautiful Clara Kimball Young is another of the stars to be seen here Thursday, Friday and Saturday. She will appear in the leading role of her latest success, "The Frost of Life," a strong story of love and life in the Latin lands. The Burton Holmes travel pictures and the amusing Bray cartoon comedy will also be shown during the remainder of the week starting with the matinee tomorrow.

OWL THEATRE
Another Fox triumph, "The Witch," featuring the famous regal empress of stormy emotion, Miss Nancy O'Neill, will be the attraction at the Owl theatre today and tomorrow. This photoplay is a powerful picturization of a wild and entrancing story carried to its highest possible emotional realms by the genius and personality of this famous actress, supported by an all-star cast.

The scene of this Fox feature is laid in Mexico, and deals with a local doctor of that land who is accused of possessing occult powers by the governor of the state. As a result of this a feud arises between two factions, one led by the doctor and the other by the governor. The former is killed in battle. The doctor's daughter has inherited the

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BASEMENT

powers of her father and shortly afterward she cures the daughter of the govt. at splitting comedy will also be presented at the Owl theatre today and tomorrow.

JEWEL THEATRE
"The Target," a strong western drama, featuring Hobart Bosworth, Universal's famous screen artist, will be especially presented at the Jewel theatre today and tomorrow. This actor is known for his forceful type of acting, and does not disappoint in this new Red Feather Universal production. Many other fine attractions are also offered on the midweek bill.

ROYAL THEATRE
Peaceful and domestic, fond of his wife and proud of his children, the Yaqui is one of the nobles of the tribes who peopled this continent before Columbus came. But deep in his heart slumbers the spark of wild, untamed Indian vengeance for wrongs committed; hatred of the man who wounds his feelings, or casts aspersions upon his reputation. "The Yaqui" in the Bluebird production, shown at the Royal theatre

today and tomorrow, has been tricked and trapped into slavery in the pawn camps of Yucatan. His wife and child are ruthlessly debased and slaughtered by the brutal overseers. How the Yaqui breaks vengeance on those who have made them suffer becomes a splendid vehicle in the hands of Hobart Bosworth, who undertakes this character role. He is ably assisted by a fine company of other notables. Many other fine attractions are also offered on the midweek bill.

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HON. JOHN E. REDMOND

Redmond's Appeal Overcomes Carson's Protest — Churchill's Plea for Co-operation by Ulster

LONDON, May 10.—During the committee stage of the military ser-

vices bill, in the house of commons yesterday, Sir John Brownlow Lansdale, "whip" of the Irish Unionist party, moved that Ireland should be included in the operation of compulsion. Premier Asquith, replying, said the question of compulsion was not a matter of agreement with Ireland, and that if the motion was persisted in there would be protracted discussion, which would prevent the measure becoming a law at the earliest possible moment.

No More Conflicts

The premier said that a very large number of representatives of Ireland were now at the government prepared to accept compulsion in Ireland, and that it was not desirable that the country should be plunged into a controversy on the subject at this time. Ireland had just undergone a terrible ordeal, but the result of it, he believed, would be to establish the foundation among loyal Irishmen of a larger measure of agreement than there ever had been in the past.

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Decrepitating the exclusion of Ireland from compulsion under the military service bill, Sir Edward Carson blamed the government for failing to suppress the anti-recruiting campaign in Ireland, which he believed had largely led to the recent disastrous events.

Redmond Lauds Recruits

John Redmond, the national leader, challenged Sir Edward's assertion that in the recent government of Ireland the nationalists had the power but not the responsibility.

"Certainly since the coalition government was instituted," said Mr. Redmond, "I had no power in the government of Ireland. My opinions have been overborne and my suggestions rejected. It is my profound conviction that if we had had power and responsibility during the last years this recent occurrences in Ireland would never have arisen."

Mr. Redmond proceeded to declare it unfair to leave the impression that Ireland had not done well in recruiting. She had more than 150,000 men now with the colors, men who had displayed bravery and covered themselves with glory, said the nationalist leader. He opposed conscription for Ireland because he believed compulsion the worst possible way to get men in Ireland and after recent events his deliberate opinion was that it would be insane to attempt to force conscription, and it would be a fearful responsibility, if, in the face of this deliberate opinion, Ulster men should persist in the attempt to force conscription upon Ireland.

Asks Ulster to Co-operate

Mr. Redmond besought the house, not only for the sake of Ireland, but for the sake of the empire, not to proceed with this course.

"Nobody is more anxious than I," he continued, "to respond to the Ulster appeal for co-operation. I have hoped against hope, and hope still, even in the dark, miserable circumstances of the moment, that we might come together. Aye, and before long I hope with all my heart that out of these miseries we may be able by taking a large, generous view, something like a statesmanlike and far-reaching view of the empire's highest interests, that out of this tumult and tragedy, we may evolve some means of putting an end to these difficulties so that we may have a united Ireland where the people and the government have both power and responsibility."

Winston Spencer Churchill considered that Mr. Redmond had rendered immense service to the empire, and that Great Britain owed a deep debt to the nationalist party for their exertions in the present struggle, "the first struggle," said Colonel Churchill, "in which Ireland has been a valiant friend on our side."

Two Hold Ireland's Fate

He would feel the same reluctance, he declared in pressing an Irish question against Mr. Redmond's opinion as he would feel against pressing a South African question against the opinion of General Botha.

"The whole future of Ireland," he continued, "depends upon two men, Sir Edward Carson and Mr. Redmond,

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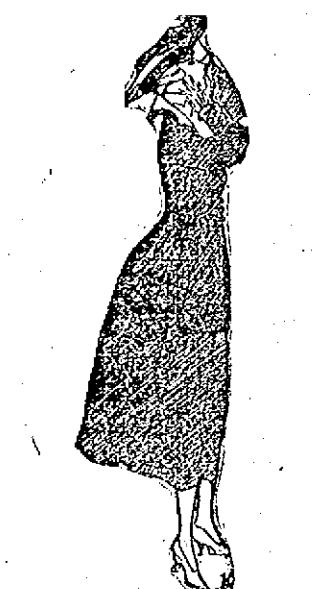
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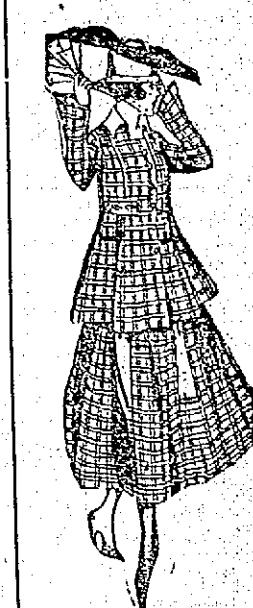
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and there is no difficulty they cannot surmount if they act together."

It is understood that Col. Churchill has decided to resume politics. His bataillon at the front has ceased to exist through being absorbed by another unit, and he has obtained leave until further orders.

Mrs. William C. Tyler, a social leader of Los Angeles, Cal., will be one of the four women delegates to the democratic national convention to be held in St. Louis.

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What shall the result be on the United States? Throughout the world there shall be a newer and a more active competition, a keener business sense in international dealings and a desire in each great power to play the leading part in the commercial world of the future. In this fight for business supremacy the United States has the lead, and if we apply the lessons of the war intelligently we are destined to become the greatest and most influential commercial nation in the world. The opportunity is within our grasp; our success or failure shall depend on the use we make of it.

At present we are the dominant nation in international finance, the greatest credit nation in the world. The dollar rules international finance. Domestic trade is brisk and war orders are still piling in. Calls for American products have come from markets heretofore supplied mainly by Germany, England, France or some of the other belligerent powers, and this nation has developed a new realization of its power and importance.

The situation is not without its dangers. With the ending of the war a great deal of our present commerce shall drop away and the tremendous business that now comes unsolicited must be won in the field of keen competition. Unlike most of our competitors, we shall have no great power co-operating with us, and we, as a novice in world trade shall have to compete with veterans that have been urged to new efforts by the wastage of war. The real test will not come for some time because the war crushed nations will have to turn to us for the means of rehabilitation. Orders for machinery, for bridges, for building materials, for railroad equipment, etc., shall take the place of the war orders that have kept so many factories humming for the past two years or so.

How is the United States to prepare to take full advantage of her position in world trade at the beginning of the new commercial era? By intelligently anticipating new needs now and by making practical preparations whenever it is necessary to guard against unfair outside influences or to increase our industrial or commercial activity. We must develop our resources; we must promote foreign trade by modern and efficient methods; we must avail of the possibilities of our improved financial system to the full; we must establish an American merchant marine to offset our present dependence on nations that have all they can do to attend to their own affairs and that moreover are our active competitors.

American influence everywhere can prepare the nation for this new era by campaigns of education and intelligent foresight. Boards of trade, manufacturers, exporters, public men in all sections ought to co-operate with the government and more especially the department of commerce which is striving to its fullest extent to extend American foreign trade. America can err through ignorance, indifference or over-confidence. It is for all intelligent Americans to face the future so that this nation may take her rightful place at the head of the commercial nations of the earth.

PRESIDENT'S LAST WORD

President Wilson has taken good care to keep the upper hand in the controversy with Germany, and he has spoiled the adroit attempt of Germany to put the American government on the defensive. While accepting the recent German answer to his note, therefore, he has spoken the last word, showing Germany that its promise to wage submarine warfare in accordance with international law is the main thing, and that its attempts to complicate the situation or to make America accept conditions have failed utterly. He warns the German government that any deliberate departure from the terms of the note will cause an immediate break in relations, and reiterates his oft-repeated statement that alleged British infractions of international law do not enter into the case at all. There can now be no real or pretended misunderstanding, because Germany has been told in a few sharp words that the United States will hold her to her promise, despite anything that England may or may not do. President Wilson has sent many notes of protest to England and he will probably send some more, but he is too good a statesman and too honest an American to make a fool of the German government in warfare between Germany and England. The real power of the president's position has come

employed permanently, and this is typical of general conditions.

THE CYMRIC

Although all details of the sinking of the Cymric of the White Star Line have not as yet come to hand, it is not expected that it will precipitate any trouble between the United States and Germany. We are so used to reading of a "new German crisis" that we look for it as a matter of course when a liner or merchant ship is sunk, but in this instance the liner was used purely as a freight ship, she was loaded with munitions of war and there were no Americans among her crew, five members of which are said to have been killed. It is inferred that no warning was given, but this cannot be ascertained definitely at present. The Washington authorities are striving to establish the exact status of the vessel and to find out the particulars of the sinking, but in all probability Germany will be able to make out a good case in this one instance.

NEW BRIDGE PARAPET

By approving of plans that were later found to be undesirable, Lowell gave the Boston and Maine railroad an opportunity to insist on us a bridge fence that does not come up to the country village standard, and we are now striving to have the plans changed. The experience should teach the authorities to make plans for a type of parapet on the new bridge at Pawtucketville that while being safe and in conformity to the structure will not spoil the view of the river. Lowell has long been proud of the view of the falls and the rapids seen from Pawtucket bridge, and when the river is high hundreds go to the bridge on Sundays and in the evening to enjoy the sight.

It has been stated by some that the accepted plan for the new bridge provides for a solid cement parapet on both sides. If so, it should not be so high that it would interfere with the view, but it should be high enough for safety. Open spaces with balustrades should be provided, or else the cement mason work should be low and should be surmounted with an iron fence. Since the first bridge at Pawtucketville was built the view of the river has been kept open and with the exception of the expected development of that section, the view will be still more delightful. Great care will have to be exercised about details so that our beauty spots may be preserved and enhanced.

DAYLIGHT SAVING

The proposal to "save daylight" by advancing the clocks an hour or so every summer is not a new one, but it is going the rounds this year more like a sound proposal than as a theoretical suggestion. Despatches told us a few weeks ago that Germany had adopted it as part of the war policy and now the English house of commons has adopted a motion to that effect by a vote of 170 to 2. The English government is about to introduce a bill embracing the motion, and it is expected that the measure will go into effect Saturday, May 20, when all the clocks will be advanced one hour until further notice. This sanction of Germany and England will give the idea a weight that it has not hitherto carried, and it is possible that all leading nations will set their clocks ahead for half the year in the future. Yet the practice seems childish and another way to get around the question would be to get to work, etc., an hour earlier. Nevertheless, it is difficult to change established habit, and to set the clocks forward one hour would be an easier way of getting folks up an hour earlier than to start work sooner.

LAST WAR ORDER

The General Electric company of Lynn is said to be finishing the last war order which the company expects to receive. On being asked whether this is an indication of coming peace, the manager said that it is due primarily to the development of home munition making in the allied countries. It will be remembered that Lloyd George has spoken frequently of the increased efficiency of England in the manufacture of war supplies, and the same is true of France and Russia. Undoubtedly much of the American supply has been stored up in anticipation of a great offensive on the west front, and the great cost of manufacturing and importing American munitions has made the belligerent nations look for means to supply their needs at home. Though the General Electric company is on its last war order, it expects to keep most of its present workers

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Going Home

The city lights, as a flashing road, Reach far through the wintry gloom, And at its end, like a fairy realm, Lies the blessed bourn of home.

A plain old house, in a plain old street,
And a chimney's mist uncurl'd; But to him who knows the peace within: 'Tis the best in all the world.

A book's face down on a friendly couch,
The cats in the easy chair, And Rover, stretched on an ancient rug,
Has the mien of a millionaire.

And there are faith and the kindly deed,
And the hopeful word that cheers,
And there the holy, deathless love,
The crown of life's changeful years.—Mary Elizabeth Killilea in the Buffalo Commercial.

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AUTOMOBILE NEWS

ANOTHER SERVICE CAR

HARRY PITTS ADDS TO HIS EQUIPMENT—STURDY SAXON CAR IN GREAT DEMAND

The latest development in progress at Pitts' Auto Supply is the addition of another service car. The acquisition of this second car was made imperative because the demand for the other car was too great; hence Harry Pitts has purchased a Ford delivery car which is equipped with every thing which goes to make a service car complete. Tire racks have been installed in this new car as well as gasoline tanks, and probably the most original and necessary feature is the air tank, which is of sufficient capacity to inflate a number of tires. Hence it is plain to see that when a man on the road telephones in for a new tire, he gets service in the full sense of the word: the tire and the air, and if he is a little low on gas he can get some of that too. As all the boys have been instructed in giving "first aid" on the road, there is no waiting for a driver.

Now is the time to buy that car if you are thinking of purchasing a machine. Lowell with its many agencies affords a wide field to choose from. There is a car for any price anyone wishes to pay.

Maud Morrison is enjoying her newly purchased Auburn Six touring car bought through the local agency.

Remember the other fellow when driving your car; he has as much right to the road as you.

George Myers, the Bridge street market man, and veteran autoist has purchased a Fullman Six from George Morrison, the local agent.

The V. A. French Auto and Taxi Service, 550 Moody street, is receiving a great deal of patronage in the form of shopping trips, trips to the beaches, etc. One will find this service entirely satisfactory.

The Donovan Harness company is doing a large business in automobile leather goods. If it is anything in leather goods for autos it will be found at this establishment, so says the Donovan Harness Co.

Every autoist will find just what he requires for his machine at the auto supply shop of Fred H. Bourke, 280 Central street. This shop has a complete line of standard makes of well known and reliable tires, gasoline, oils, etc. In the vulcanizing department there is an expert in charge who personally supervises all the work and none but work of the very best is allowed to leave the shop.

One of the remarkable features of the sturdy Saxon car is its extremely low gasoline consumption. To get twenty-six miles out of a gallon of gas with a six cylinder touring car is going some, and that the Saxon can do and that is what Mr. Burgess of the Burgess Motor car company guarantees. There is a big demand for this make of car in Lowell and vicinity. Mr. Burgess experiences not a little difficulty in securing enough cars for his orders, and it is only by dint of argument that he obtains these cars.

Pitts' Auto Supply, Hurd street, today calls attention to the Reliance air container which is a puncture proof inner tube of pneumatic tires. The claims the manufacturers of this product make cover all that can be desired in such a commodity. They say: "The Reliance air container will not injure the casing; it will not heat more than the ordinary tube; it will

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NOTE—In these columns every Wednesday we will give expert advice to motorists on how to repair and operate their machines. Automobile readers of THE SUN are invited to send in questions or problems they may wish to have answered. Such questions will receive attention in due time. Address all communications: Automobile Editor, Sun, Lowell, Mass. Communications must bear the signature and address of the sender, though not for publication but as a guarantee of good faith.

Will you please inform me if the carbon than light oil, but owing to carburetor adjustment is affected by the thicker filament of oil between the different altitudes? I am told that a cylinder walls and pistons the engine motor going from the coast to the interior will crank harder when cold. Liquid kerosene injected through air valve when the engine is running loosens the carbon deposits and allows it to be blown out with the exhaust. Water is even better than kerosene and leaves no carbon of its own, as is the case when kerosene is used.

W. K. Ans. The atmospheric pressure is less at high altitudes than at low; therefore, the suction of the motor would be weakened at high altitudes, changing the balance between the primary air current and the auxiliary air current. The tension on the auxiliary air valve spring would have to be changed a little to meet the new conditions. A carburetor with a water jacket would need less adjustment than one without, and one without an auxiliary air inlet would probably need no readjustment at all.

What causes a car to smoke; especially on low gear, even if oil is little low? What causes an engine to balk when spark is retarded? What is proper quantity of kerosene for each cylinder, and could this be put in through priming cups? If a sheet of metal were clamped around exhaust pipe at one end and around manifold at the other, and in this way heat manifold, would this save gas? M. R.

Ans. Piston rings do not fit the cylinders. If the cylinders have worn so they are not round they will have to be reground and new pistons and rings made.

See if the wires all make firm contact when retarded; also if the spark is timed right, and that there are no leaks in the intake manifold joints.

About a tablespoonful injected through the priming cups is the proper amount.

The more the temperature of the mixture can be raised before it enters the cylinders, the higher will be the compression temperature.

A short time ago the motor of my 1914 Ford began to run irregularly and sputter occasionally. While investigating I found that No. 3 cylinder had practically no compression after grinding in the valves, which looked as though they might have been causing the trouble. I ran the motor for an hour or so and found No. 3 the same as before I ground the valves in No. 2, then concluded that the rings were at fault, but after replacing them the compression in both cylinders was hardly noticeable. The valve stems all have plenty of clearance, and I am unable to find the leak around the cylinder head gasket.

J. M. Ans. The wrist pin bushing should be a good fit or the engine will have a knock that is particularly noticeable after the connecting rod bearings have been taken up.

Look for a leak in the intake manifold. This would affect the mixture at low speeds but not at high speeds.

What is the difference between a full floating rear axle and a semi-floating rear axle? What advantage has a full-floating rear axle over a semi-floating axle?

Does a semi-floating rear axle drive both hind wheels or only one? H. V.

Ans. A full-floating axle has the rear wheels run on ball or roller bearings that are mounted on the ends of the axle housing, and the axle shafts, inserted from the outside, carry no part of the weight of the car.

A semi-floating axle has the wheels fixed securely on the axle-shafts and the shafts carry the full weight of the rear of car. They can be removed by taking the wheels off and loosening the bearings.

The differential of a full-floating axle can be removed without taking the wheels off. In a semi-floating axle it cannot. All axles drive through both rear wheels.

My engine should use medium oil. If heavy oil is used or slightly heavier to prevent noise, would it cause carbonization? It is understood that kerosene poured in air valve of carburetor while engine is hot and running will prevent carbon. Why? Does not kerosene carbonize much more readily than gas, so how can it remove carbon if put in motor, while running and stopped at once? R. P.

Ans. Heavy oil will cause no more teeth more for a 32x3 1-2-inch tire than for a 34x4 1-2-inch tire, using the same large gear for either.

I have a Warner speedometer, which I used on a 34x4 1-2-inch tire, and in changing cars I now use a 32x3 1-2-inch tire. I would like to know the number of teeth on the big gear and also the little gear that I will have to get so as to use the same swivel and head on the 32x3 1-2-inch tire.

T. B. Ans. The small gear must have two teeth more for a 32x3 1-2-inch tire than for a 34x4 1-2-inch tire, using the same large gear for either.

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LORD NEAR TOP

Lowell Manager One of
Real Batting Leaders
in League

Games played in the new Eastern league during the first week were featured to large extent by heavy hitting, the end of the first seven days' play finding thirty-four men slinging the old horseshoe for .300 or better.

Egan of the Springfield Ponies and Lavigne of Lowell are tied for the honor of leading the league, each having a perfect average of 1,000, the former having secured two hits in two times up in two games, while the latter made one hit in his only appearance. Murphy of the New Haven club stands third with a mark of .600. He played in one game, collecting three hits in five trips to the plate.

Dowd Is Hitting 'Em

The actual leader, however, is Second Baseman Dowd of Morton F. Plant's New London aggregation, who, in six games has swatted the pill for a mark of .528. Dowd has appeared nineteen times at the plate and has scored ten hits, three of which went for doubles. The next regular who appears among the top notchers is Manager Harry Lord of Lowell, the former Red Sox and White Sox star. Lord's average in six games is .444, the former big leaguer having connected safely eight times in eighteen trips to the plate.

Pitchers Are Backward

The heavy striking during the first week is accounted for in a large measure by the condition of the pitchers, who have by no means reached the top of their form. Included also among the leaders at the present time are a goodly number of battery men who have taken part in only one or two games. These will drop out of the select-class after one or two more games, and their places will be taken by the regulars.

Of the thirty-four players in the charmed circle of .300 or better hitters, New Haven leads the league with seven men; Springfield and Lowell each has five; New London and Portland four each; Lynn three; and Bridgeport and Hartford two each. Worcester is the only club not represented.

There are nineteen pitchers who have not lost a game. The batting averages of the .300 or better hitters and the records of the nineteen leading pitchers, including all games played up to Saturday, follow:

Batting Averages

	G.	A.	B.	R.	H.	Ave.
Egan, Springfield	3	2	2	2	1	1.000
Lavigne, Lowell	1	1	1	1	1	1.000
Murphy, New Haven	1	1	1	3	.600	
Dowd, New London	6	19	5	10	5	.528
Lemire, Lynn	2	9	2	9	2	.556
Kenner, N. Haven	1	2	0	1	0	.500
Daniels, Springfield	1	13	0	1	0	.500
Lord, Lowell	6	18	7	8	4	.444
Williams, Lynn	3	7	1	3	1	.329
Fortune, N. London	2	7	3	3	2	.429
Miller, New Haven	7	25	5	12	4	.429
Welser, New London	6	21	3	10	2	.333
Juster, Springfield	1	5	0	0	0	.000
Bose, Springfield	6	23	2	9	2	.391
Munn, Lowell	5	19	2	7	3	.389
Lyster, Lawrence	6	25	5	0	0	.360
Stephens, Springfield	6	20	4	7	3	.350
Barrows, Lowell	7	24	5	8	3	.333
Soper, New Haven	6	18	1	6	1	.333
Lemons, Portland	5	24	7	8	3	.333
Brown, Portland	6	27	1	1	0	.333
DeWolf, Portland	1	1	1	1	1	.333
Porter, Lynn	3	12	5	4	3	.333
J. Shannon, N. Haven	3	12	1	4	1	.333
Pastor, Bridgeport	2	6	0	2	0	.333
Woodward, N. Haven	2	5	1	2	1	.333
Gero, Hartford	2	4	0	1	0	.333
Mahoney, Lawrence	2	8	3	2	1	.333
McGinnis, Lynn	5	22	3	3	2	.333
Burns, New London	6	13	1	6	1	.333
Gaudette, Bridgeport	7	29	6	9	3	.333
Tierney, New Haven	7	23	2	7	3	.304
Gleason, Lynn	6	20	5	6	3	.300
Snyder, Hartford	5	10	0	3	0	.300

Pitchers' Records

	W.	L.	SO	BB	H.	PC.
Patt., Port.	2	0	15	11	10	1.000
Hearne, N. L.	3	0	9	1	4	1.000
Alsworth, N. H.	2	0	15	5	9	1.000
Pearson, Law.	2	0	4	3	9	1.000
Martin, Bpt.	2	0	4	3	9	1.000
Ziesel, Lynn	2	0	3	3	14	1.000
John, Spfg.	0	4	1	1	1	1.000
Salmon, Hfd.	0	13	4	14	1	1.000
Jordan, Port.	1	0	5	3	11	1.000
Fortune, N. L.	1	0	10	11	6	1.000
Martin, N. L.	1	0	6	6	6	1.000
Woodward, N. H.	1	0	8	11	11	1.000
Pennington, Law.	1	0	9	1	7	1.000
Daniels, Spfg.	1	0	1	1	5	1.000
John, Hfd.	1	0	2	2	1	1.000
Gero, Hfd.	1	0	4	1	5	1.000
Woodman, Lynn	1	0	3	5	8	1.000
Martin, Port.	1	0	2	3	9	1.000
Fuller, Law.	1	0	4	3	10	1.000

GAMES TOMORROW

Eastern League

Bridgeport at Lowell.
New Haven at Lawrence.
Springfield at Lynn.
Hartford at Portland.
New London at Worcester.

American League

Cleveland at Boston.
Chicago at New York.
St. Louis at Washington.
Detroit at Philadelphia.

National League

Boston at Chicago.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.
New York at Pittsburgh.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.

LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
New London	8	1	.559
Lynn	5	4	.558
Springfield	5	4	.556
Lawrence	5	4	.556
Portland	5	4	.556
Lowell	5	5	.500
New Haven	4	5	.444
Bridgeport	4	6	.400
Hartford	3	3	.375
Worcester	1	7	.125

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Cleveland	15	8	.652
Washington	11	9	.550
New York	11	9	.550
Boston	11	11	.500
Detroit	11	11	.500
Chicago	11	13	.458
St. Louis	8	11	.421
Philadelphia	7	13	.350

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Brooklyn	10	5	.667
Boston	10	5	.667
Chicago	12	3	.771
Cincinnati	11	11	.500
St. Louis	10	10	.500
Philadelphia	8	5	.600
Pittsburgh	9	13	.455
New York	3	13	.187

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

	Eastern League
Lynn & Linton	2
New London	12
Portland	4
Springfield	3
Lawrence	2
Hartford	3
Lowell	0 (forfeited)

American League

	Boston	Chicago	New York	Detroit	Philadelphia	St. Louis	Washington
5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

National League

	New York	Pittsburgh	Chicago	Cincinnati
5	1	1	1	

BERLIN ADMITS U-BOAT TORPEDOED THE SUSSEX

British Destroyer Damaged in Naval Battle Off Belgian Coast —Other War News

A new note on the Sussex case has been handed Ambassador Gerard by the Berlin foreign office. The note is to the effect that the vessel attacked was a warship.

German Casualties

A British estimate of German casualties since the beginning of the war places them at 2,822,079. The total killed or died from wounds is placed at 664,552. The figures are said to have been compiled from German official lists.

Brazil Demands Indemnity

Brazil will demand indemnity from Germany for the sinking by a submarine of the Brazilian steamer Rio Branco, according to a Rio Janeiro despatch.

Bull In Verdun Region

Paris reports diminishing activity in the Verdun region following the desperate fighting of the past few days. On both banks of the Meuse the artillery fire has slackened, that on the east of the river being described as intermittent.

German Attack Checked

A German attack on the French lines near Moulin-sous-Touvent was completely checked.

Berlin Reports Gains

Berlin reports the extension of the German positions on Hill 304, northwest of Verdun, recently captured from the French and the driving back of French detachments southwest of the hill.

British Destroyer Damaged

A British destroyer was badly damaged by gunfire during a brief engagement off the Belgian coast on May 8 between British and German torpedo craft, a German admiralty statement announces.

TWO FRENCH BALLOONS BROKE FROM MOORINGS, LAND NEAR HANOVER

BERLIN, May 9, via London, May 10.—Two of the French balloons which broke from their moorings in the French lines in France on Saturday landed near Hanover. One of the balloons was manned by a crew of three soldiers, apparently officers, who have not yet been captured.

ATTACK ON VERDUN IS BASED ON CRUSHING EFFECT OF GERMAN ARTILLERY

BERLIN, May 10. (By wireless to Sayville)—The German attack on Verdun is based on the crushing effect of German heavy artillery, writes Maj. Moran, military critic of the Tagblatt.

The capture of the smaller fortress in the west at the beginning of the war by the use of heavy artillery was only a prelude to the artillery operations now in progress.

"The French have not been able to compete with German artillery and ammunition. The enormous losses of the French are due partly to the effect of the German artillery and partly to the tenacity of the French, who will not abandon their trenches."

"Although it is generally considered that attacking forces must be four times superior to those of the defense, in the Verdun campaign, the number of German troops engaged is much less than half that of the French. The number of French troops may be calculated at not less than 800,000. This figure represents half of the entire forces which France still has at her disposal for active fighting."

"All the German successes on the eastern and western fronts were gained with numerically inferior forces. Moreover, the Austro-Hungarian troops for a year have been holding back twice their number of the enemy. The principal elements in victory—quality of troops and courage—are steadily working to our advantage."

BELGIAN FORCES HAVE PENETRATED 70 MILES INTO GERMAN EAST AFRICA

PARIS, May 10.—Belgian forces have penetrated 70 miles into German East Africa, according to an official statement issued today by the Belgian war department at Havre. Gen. Tournier, in command of the African expedition, reports that Belgian columns which crossed the German frontier near Rusinga have advanced to the eastern shore of Lake Nohasi, the German forces retreating in the direction of Lake Victoria Nyanza, 70 miles to the east.

CHIEFS OF ALL ALBANIAN CLANS VOTE TO SUSPEND CUSTOM OF BLOOD VENGEANCE

BERLIN, May 9, via London, May 10.—According to a despatch from Secular, the chiefs of all the Albanian clans in a meeting there have voted unanimously to suspend for six months the custom of blood vengeance. Blood feuds have been universal in Albania for centuries.

The action of the chiefs was taken under the pressure of the Austrian military leaders operating in Albania. Field Marshal Trömlin, who conquered Montenegro made a personal appeal to the chiefs urging the abolition of the custom.

BRITISH AEROPLANES DROPPED 15,000 POUNDS OF FOOD IN KUT-EL-AMARA

LONDON, May 10.—British aeroplanes dropped 15,000 pounds of food, in addition to mail and military and other stores, in Kut-el-Amara between

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chalmers	263	260	262
Am Best Sugar	72	70	72
Am Can	63	63	63
Am Carb & Ch	63	62	62
Am Carb & L pf	50	49	50
Am Locomo	65	65	65
Am Smelt & R pf	113	95	97
Am Sugar Ref	113	110	110
Anacorda	84	83	84
Atchison	103	103	103
Atchison pf	101	101	101
Baldwin Loco	85	84	85
E&I & Ohio	87	86	87
Beth Steel	419	416	416
Canadian Pw	168	168	168
Cess Pipe Com	18	18	18
Cont Leather	63	63	63
Cont Leather pf	111	111	111
Ches & Ohio	61	61	61
Chi & Gt W Com	13	13	13
Chi & Gt W pf	37	37	37
Chi R & Pac	22	20	21
Col Fuel	41	41	41
Consol Gas	133	132	132
Corn Products	78	78	78
Crucible Steel	50	50	50
Dla Secur Co	51	50	51
Erie Ist pf	36	35	36
Gen Elec	62	62	62
Gen Motors	166	166	166
Goodrich	76	75	75
GT North pf	129	119	119
GT N O pf	40	40	40
Illinois Can	101	101	101
Int Mer Marine	24	24	24
Int Mer Marine pf	88	88	88
Int Paper	10	10	10
Kan City So pf	60	60	60
Kan & Texas	4	4	4
Lehigh Valley	78	78	78
Louis & Nash	127	127	127
Maxwell Ist	83	81	82
Maxwell 2nd	85	85	85
Maxwell Petroleum	106	104	105
Mission Pa	63	57	56
Nat Lead	63	63	62
N Y Air Brake	133	133	133
N Y Central	105	104	104
Nor & West	122	122	122
North Pacific	122	118	118
Nor & West	27	27	27
Pacific Mail	24	23	23
Pennsylvania	56	55	56
Pitts Coal	27	27	27
Pressed Steel	46	46	46
Pulman Co	167	157	157
Radios Sp Co	59	57	57
Rep Iron & S	46	46	46
St Paul	95	94	94
Sloss-Sheffield	55	54	55
So Pacific	98	97	97
Southern Ry	24	24	24
Southwester	62	62	62
Studebaker	132	130	131
Third Ave	61	60	60
Unic Pacific	136	134	134
U S Ind Alcohol	143	145	145
U S Rub	55	54	55
U S Roy pf	101	100	100
U S Steel	33	32	32
U S Steel ss	116	116	116
Utah Copper	80	79	80
Westinghouse	60	58	59
Western Un	91	91	91

REACTIONARY MOVEMENT

IMPORTANT RAILS LEAD IN AFTERNOON—STEEL FAILED TO RESPOND TO NEW TONNAGE

NEW YORK, May 10.—Quotations at the opening of today's stock market indicated further uncertainty regarding impending developments, particularly in the Mexican situation. Trading showed the usual mixture of advances and recessions, the more substantial changes being made by specialists while investment issues moved within narrow lines. Willys-Overland and Woolworth were the strongest features gaining 4 and 2 points respectively with a more moderate rise for Mexican Petroleum. Declines varying from fractions to two points occurred in munitions and allied issues. Rails were firm in the main.

The afternoon was marked by a series of mixed movements, suggesting further speculative caution. War shares recovered from their early heaviness but proved unacceptable as leaders. Rock Island was again active but shaded on profit taking. United States steel was firm, probably in expectation of a favorable April tonnage statement and American sugar featured strong recoveries from its special class being in unusual demand at an advance of 3 points. Detroit United Railways was prominent among utility issues, rising 7½ points on light trading. Bonds were irregular. Rock Island debentures, however, supplementing yesterday's gain.

Important rails led the reactionary movement of the early afternoon, Union Pacific, Reading and New York Central falling a point, with more severe losses in specialties. Steel failed to respond to its new tonnage record and other leaders were lower. Extreme dullness prevailed in the later dealings, rails and a few specialties making material recoveries from lowest quotations. The closing was irregular.

EXCHANGES
NEW YORK, May 10.—Exchanges, \$472,379,052, balances, \$24,196,967.

COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, May 10.—Cotton futures, opened steady, May 12.90; July 12.93; October 13.20; December 13.40; January 13.45. Futures closed barely steady, May 12.92; July 12.95; October 13.15; December 13.31; January 13.38. Spot steady; middling 13.20.

MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, May 10.—Mercantile paper 34; Sterling, 60 days 23½ to 3, 90 days 3 to 3½; six months 3½ to 3½. Call money easier; high 2½, low 2, ruling rate 2; last loan 2½, closing bid 2; offered at 2½.

BROADWAY NO LONGER STANDING PLACE FOR ACTORS, RULES MAGISTRATE TEN EYCK

NEW YORK, May 10.—Broadway, for many years the city's Mecca for actors, is to be kept clear of idle members of the profession unless they keep moving, according to a police court magistrate's decision today. Of six actors arraigned two were fined \$1 each, two were paroled for further hearing and two were permitted to depart upon announcing that out-of-town patients awaited them.

"All Broadway is a stage for actors," Patrolman William Loeb told Magistrate Ten Eyck. "They enter right stage from the Pennsylvania station at 33rd street and they enter left stage from the Grand Central station. They take their cues at any and all times, playing principally the roles of mobs and dense crowds at all hours of day and night."

"Broadway must not be used as a standing place by actors to impede the pedestrians," ruled Magistrate Ten Eyck.

SHORTEST WORKING DAY IN NEW ENGLAND OBJECT OF THE CONFERENCE

BOSTON, May 10.—A shorter working day for women and children in New England manufacturing industries is the object of a conference of women of New England which, it was announced today, will meet here May 22. The conference will be the first of its kind according to the call. It will be held to consider legislative action in each of the states of this section to "protect their women and children."

New Hampshire will be represented by Mrs. Winston Churchill and Mrs. James W. Remick; Maine by Mrs. George Hunt and Mrs. Florence Whitehouse; and Massachusetts by Mrs.abel G. Leslie and Mrs. George W. Perkins.

United States Senator W. S. Kenyon of Rhode Island will be among the speakers.

NO NEWS OF PEACE PLANS

LONDON, May 10.—In the house of commons today Lord Robert Cecil, minister of war trade and parliamentary under-secretary for foreign affairs, had been received from the American government regarding the shooting of prisoners in Ireland.

The premier informed the house that Sir Roger Casement, who was captured on attempting to land in Ireland to lead the rebellion, would be tried on trial on Monday.

Premier Asquith gave an undertaking in the house that no further executions would take place in Ireland before the time of the debate on the Irish question tomorrow.

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A news agency despatch from Rotterdam on May 8 quoted from a circular said to have been issued by the German humanity league the statement that considerable significance was attached to the arrival in Rome of the envoys of the kings of Bavaria and Saxony who had prolonged audiences with Cardinal Gasparri, papal secretary of state.

BISHOP LAWRENCE ON WAR

BOSTON, May 10.—Bishop William Lawrence in his annual address before the meeting of the Massachusetts diocese of the Protestant Episcopal church today expressed the hope that the horrors of the present war might be the means of giving a strong thrust of public opinion toward international cooperation. He emphasized the necessity of similar living in the nation's program of preparedness.

Mr. Samuel, who made these remarks in the course of an address at the National Liberal Club, referred also to recent suggestions said to have emanated from Germany in regard to the initiation of peace negotiations.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Fifty women were recently graduated from the law school of the New York University.

GERMAN LOSSES IN WAR

Casualties Since Outbreak of Hostilities 2,822,079 — Lost 91,162 in April, Says London

"These, added to those reported in previous months, including corrections reported in April 1916, bring the totals reported in German official lists since the beginning of the war to 2,822,079. These figures were given in the following statement:

"German casualties, exclusive of corrections, were reported during the month of April, 1916, as follows: Killed or died of wounds 664,652; died of sickness 11,325; prisoners 137,793; missing 385,515; wounded 254,627; slightly wounded 1,023,212; wounded remaining with units 117,358. Total 2,822,079.

"These figures include all German nationalities—Prussians, Bavarians, Saxons and Wurttembergers. They do not include naval or colonial troops."

THE MAN IN THE MOON

A Pawtucketvillian tells me the feeling up that way is that the people regard the bridge fight over and that all hands are sublant. A bridge of concrete! And to be built this summer! Pawtucket square established and new street lines adjusted! Bigger and better street cars—which mean bigger and better service! All this and more old Pawtucketville sees. What we shall soon see will be sufficient for the day thereof; and will be the forerunner of what shall soon follow after. Surely no tenement house will ever stand at the entrance of this bridge; nor for long shall the natural beauty of the rapids be marred by rows of unsightly buildings or any sort of structure. It may be said of the Pawtucketville gentlemen who have been prominently identified with this new bridge movement that they have had no private axes to grind; that no land scheme or other interests had any relation to their motive. They have worked simply for the betterment of Pawtucketville in particular and for the city's general benefit. When the new bridge is opened—well say!

Walter C. Bruce

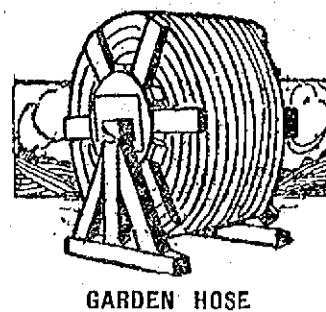
Walter C. Bruce's reputation as a singer is not confined to his own city alone. It has traveled abroad and abides in many cities and towns that frequently demand his services at all sorts of gatherings from private soirees to grand concert. Recently he went to Milford, N. H., and sang in a concert, the seventh annual by the Milford high school. In Milford Walter is a prime favorite. A Milford friend who attended this concert writes me that he never sang better and that the big audience present was more than pleased with his work. Mr. Bruce sang several solos, among them being "The Postillion," by Molloy; "Sunset" by Buck, and "The Silent World is Sleeping" also by Buck. He appeared in duet with Mrs. Desparois in "The Moon Has Raised Her Lamp Above," from Benedict's "The Lily of Killarney" and sang the solo part with chorus, "Father, from a Distant Land," from Gode's "The Crusaders." From this partial mention we may judge that the concert was of unusual high class.

Safety Blades Dangerous

Safety razors after due acquaintance may be all that their title signifies; but after using the blades should be as carefully put away as their old-time relatives. I know of a man who twice within a week, while pawing over a mixture of nails, bolts, screws, etc., received some nice gashes. At best these cuts are bothersome and possibly a cut received from a rusty or infected blade might result in something serious. Having had some personal experience on account of other people's carelessness I'm in a position to give voice to a word of caution. Be careful, when you are fanning around in odd and dark places seeking for a collar button or perhaps a tack; that a discarded safety razor blade isn't in position to give the top of your finger a nice slick gash.

Fencing the Waterways

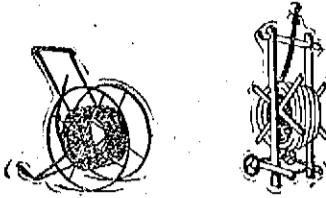
It would certainly appear that the immediate range is particularly fine. The imme-



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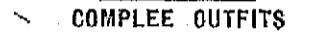
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date approaches to Dover are very attractive. Now it had been nearly 30 years since I had seen this town, and I fear that I didn't retain very favorable impressions of the place. Since the other Sunday those unfavorable impressions are no more. Dover, another New Hampshire town, where settlement dates away back in New England's history, is a very interesting and beautiful place. To Dover, then, I shall go again; and thus I square with myself.

Our little car, which was a Detro (that's a new one), didn't cut much on the roads as to style and grandeur. Beside the big Packards, Chalmers, Pierce-Arrows, Buicks, Cadillacs and such, our outfit was as a terrier alongside a St. Bernard; but we got there just the same—up hill and down dale without a slip or a hitch, nor did we buy but three gallons of gas. Altogether the 30th of April was a great day for me. It gave something besides mere pleasure; it left with me impressions of new scenes and fresh faces and gave to me a mingling of the wind of the mountains and the breath of the sea. It was a day well spent.

MAN IN THE MOON.

ON THE RIO GRANDE

POINT DIRECTLY OPPOSITE EL PASO, TEXAS, SCENE OF RECENT MOMENTOUS MEETING

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—Culminating Juarez, the scene of the recent momentous meeting between General Obregon, minister of war in the Carranza cabinet, and Major Generals Scott and Funston, is the subject of today's war geography bulletin, issued by the National Geographic Society from its Washington headquarters, which says:

"Situated on the right bank of the Rio Grande, directly opposite El Paso, Texas, and 122 miles north of Mexico City, the very name of the city of Juarez suggests noteworthy events in the history of the southern republic, and the conferences which have been held there recently by the representatives of the military forces of both the American and Mexican governments add another interesting chapter to the community's annals."

"For more than 200 years Juarez was known as El Paso del Norte (the pass of the North,) and it was not until 1855 that the city was renamed in honor of one of Mexico's greatest statesmen and patriots, Benito Juarez, who established his capital hero during the troublous times when Napoleon III of France was abetting the fatigued Maximilian in his effort to found an empire in the Western hemisphere."

"Juarez, a full-blooded Zapotec Indian born in an obscure village near Oaxaca, succeeded to the presidency of Mexico when Comonfort, weary of the internal strife, quit the job and when to the United States, leaving affairs in the hands of his chief justice. Immediately Juarez was involved in civil war by the assumption of the executive office by Zuloaga. It was while trying to displace his rival that the Indian patriot endeavored to borrow money from the United States and, as a part of the bargain, he agreed to a treaty the terms of which brought forth a storm of protest from England and France. By this treaty, which was never ratified, the United States was to have perpetual and unrestricted passage across both the Isthmus of Tehuantepec and the northern states of Mexico, and the right to employ American troops to enforce these rights as well as to protect American citizens against levies and loans."

"A short time later Juarez precipitated an international crisis by his decision to suspend for two years the payment of interest on the national debt. England, Spain and France sent troops to Vera Cruz to force payment, but England and Spain soon withdrew, while France, her soldiers once on Mexican soil, decided to press her claims and gradually Napoleon's scheme for a western empire began to assume definite form. His scheme eventually in the abortive attempt to establish Archduke Maximilian of Austria on the throne of the Montezumas."

"It was during the famous defense of the city of Puebla against the invading French army that a young Mexican soldier, who was to become

the most conspicuous figure in the history of modern Mexico, distinguished himself by his bravery and his exceptional powers of leadership. This young hero was Porfirio Diaz, now known to fame as "the strong man of Mexico."

"It was in the center of the international bridge which connects Juarez and El Paso that President Taft and President Diaz (the who had been Juarez' military right hand) met in 1910, upon the occasion of the centenary celebration of Mexican independence.

"The traveler who passes through El Paso on his way to Juarez may choose any of four times by which to set his watch—Central, Mountain, Pacific and Mexican. Mountain time is an hour slower than Central, while Pacific is an hour slower and Mexican is 24 minutes faster than Mountain."

"On account of its bull-fights and cock-fights, Juarez has long been a city of feast-day pilgrimage for Americans in search of a new sensation. The Spaniards, who became addicted to the bull-fight habit in the 12th century, during the occupation of the Iberian peninsula by the Moors, introduced this sport into Mexico shortly after their overthrow of the Aztecs. The fights in Juarez are not so elaborately staged as those in Mexico City, for native bulls are used customarily, and these have not the ferocity of the animals imported by the capital from Andalusia, at a cost, frequently, of \$1,200 (Mexican) each."

"On important bull-fight days the population of Juarez tops the 10,000 mark, while there is a relative temporary decrease in the size of the fifth city in Texas—El Paso, which had only 736 people in 1850 but which had grown to more than 39,000 in 1910."

FOR AN INVESTIGATION
LOWELL MAN ONE OF EIGHT DEMOCRATS TO VOTE FOR INVESTIGATION OF SWIG'S ELECTION

Special to The Sun

STATE HOUSE, Boston, May 10.—Representative Dennis A. Murphy of Lowell was one of the eight democratic members of the house who voted yesterday for the order providing for an investigation of the circumstances attending the election of Rep. Simon Swig of Boston. The order was defeated, after debate lasting all day, by a vote of 105 to 118.

The other members of the Lowell delegation voted thus:

For the order: Representatives Crosby and Jewell.

Against the order: Representatives Achin, Lewis and O'Connell of Lowell; Colburn of Dracut and Bunting of Methuen.

Extending Car Lines

Action on the bill permitting the public service commissioners to order the Bay State street railway company to extend its tracks through Wrentham avenue was again postponed in the senate yesterday, the latest postponement being for one week. Senator Gordon of Springfield stated that the public service commissioners desire to prepare an amendment to the bill, but from another source it was learned that the amendment which the senator will offer next week will be one providing that the act shall not apply to franchises hereafter granted. That is, the commission will have the power to compel a street railway company to make use of a franchise granted prior to the passage of the act, but its power will stop there.

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CHORAL SOCIETY CONCERT

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Soloist

Composer Hears "The Highwayman"—Concert With Mrs. Sundelius and Mr. Werrenrath

Real music and in good measure was the offering of the Lowell Choral society last evening at Kellogg's theatre. It was the annual spring concert, but the term "concert" scarcely describes it. Rather it was an evening of inspiration and delight for the large and distinguished audience that packed the theatre. (The chorus of the Lowell Choral society may have done as well) in recent offerings but it has certainly never done better. The soloists last evening sang over the footlights and right into the hearts of the audience. With the accompaniment of instrumental music of a really high standard the concert comprised a musical ensemble that made Lowell for one evening at least, forget the "pons," Boston Symphony, Boston Opera, and all those other things that local culture likes to talk about. If there were not several from Boston in the audience of last evening, theirs is the loss.

The program included "Gallia" by Gounod with its solemn scriptural text and "The Highwayman" with the music by Deems Taylor set to the romantic poem of Alfred Noyes. This was followed by the whimsical "Song Cycle, The City of Joy" by Deems Taylor and a concert program with selections by the soloists of the evening. Mrs. Marie Sundelius, soprano, and Mr. Heinrich Werrenrath, baritone. There were also some classic numbers on the cello by Carl Webster, numbers by the choral society and orchestral offerings by the Boston Festival orchestra. Eusebius G. Hood of Nashua conducted and Wilfred Kershaw was accompanist.

The music of "Gallia" is occasionally heard in solemn church services. The text is from the biblical "Lamentations of Jeremiah" in those terrible and thrilling passages in which the prophet pictures the departed glory of Jerusalem and cries out in awful anguish of heart: "Behold and see if there be any sorrow that is like unto my sorrow." There is a mournful melody on the strings and the chorus sings in a soft subdued tone that pictures the lamentation of the Jews looking at the desolation of the city that was full of people. The main appeal of the clergy is in its sentiment that the music is almost monotonous, but as given last evening it was thrilling. The chorus kept the background of sobbing sorrow secondary and against this the lovely voice of Marie Sundelius soared in an intense cry that rose to the final invocation, "Jerusalem! O turn thee unto the Lord thy God."

The music of "The Highwayman" is the work of a man who must have loved and thoroughly understood the text. Mr. Deems Taylor has been doing serious work for only a few years, but the promise of the work produced last evening is a prelude of great things. The cantata was written for the fifth festival of the MacDowell Memorial Association and given its first performance at Peterboro, N. H., on April 19, 1914, with Mr. Hood conducting. Mr. Deems Taylor was present last evening and once again he saw a performance under the direction of Mr. Hood who is thoroughly enthused over the music. The story gives great opportunity for romantic variety and the composer made the most of it, introducing several distinct themes that are interwoven and contrasted with subtle effectiveness. There is a ghoulish quality in the opening descriptive passages that show the daring rider galloping up to the old inn door where Bess waits for him "plaiting a dark red love knot into her long black hair." How beautiful and romantic it is in the grand old fashioned way—and how poignant. The composer knows well the value of suspense, and after making one feel the tragedy that is surely in the air and after the marching of the pitiless soldiers—King George's men—the chorus tells us that "Bess stood up straight and still and 'warned him—with her death'." The chorus did splendid work all through, keeping the volume subdued except where it was needed to tell effectively. There was a tilt and readiness of attack in the earlier passages that soon gave way to delicate mood of mourning, and the answer to the lead of the conductor was ever intelligent.

Heinrich Werrenrath made an ideal highwayman, both in voice and appearance—highwayman in a story of course—young, handsome and vigorous, he sang the baton solos with power and with great expression. His solo in Part I was perfect in its reflection of the spirit of the composition, and in the descriptive passages he made one feel the enthusiasm and the grandeur of the music that rises over the tragedy. The effectiveness of his voice in music of this sort is

ARTHUR C. SPALDING
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singing in Gallia was impressively beautiful and her magnetism won the audience on her first appearance. Her voice is still fresh and young, but she has all the technical perfection of singers who have less voice and more experience. In the concert numbers her "Ave Maria" was exalted in its power, the Swedish folk song had a rollicking hit that caused a ripple of laughter through the house, and the "Fairy Fingers" was like a woodland brook when the ice is melting. Dunhill's setting of the wonderful words of Yeats, "The Cloths of Heaven," was beautifully rendered, albeit the program had put the "clothes" of heaven, which, judging from pictures of the angels, is a negligible quantity.

The Choral society gave a fine rendering of "Drink to Me Only with Thine Eyes" and the closing Kermesse from "Faust" was as spirited as one could wish.

Collectively and individually, its members deserve all the praise they get from Mr. Hood—after rehearsals. Once again the Boston Festival orchestra gave pleasure to a Lowell audience. The Tchaikovsky suite of whimsical fancies was stimulating, somehow or other suggesting Peter Pan and fairy stories. They are all Danse tils or Danse that, and they make people feel like dancing on their heads. At the abrupt close one is up in the air, but a laugh and a word to one's neighbor restores equilibrium. Mr. Webster gave a most effective rendering of Dvorak's "Indian Lament" and another number that reflected the little dances.

Throughout the program merited all the praise that was bestowed upon it by an appreciative audience. Among those present was Talarico, the pianist, and practically every musician in Lowell who is known as such. Mr. Hood, Mr. Spalding and all who contributed to the success of the occasion may feel pardoned proud of the result.

Following are the officers of the society for the present season:

Arthur C. Spalding, president; George S. Drew, vice president; Samuel Kenshaw, treasurer; Harry Stocks, secretary.

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Boulger, Dr. Walter E. Knapp, David Hurd, Noble M. Charlton, Miss Winifred Haggerty, Mrs. L. J. Hanson, Harry Priestly, Miss Mary E. Rilly, Mrs. Frank W. Hurd, Miss Katrine Jeanette, Miss Margaret M. Sparks, Mrs. C. McLaughlin, Miss Eliza E. Thompson, and others ex-officio.

CITY HALL NEWS

Continued

any more business before the meeting, Commissioner Putnam produced water department bills against the street department for water used in street watering, the total amount being over \$2000, including last year's bill for \$1000.

"This bill was rendered last week," said Mr. Putnam.

"But you'll never get it—I promise you that," said Mr. Morse.

Mr. Putnam then called attention to the fact that the street department, when he was superintendent of streets, used to pay its water bills in advance.

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Mr. Putnam—"Yes sir, always."

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Mr. Putnam then announced that there were bills against the street department other than bills for water, but he seemed disposed to push the others aside if Mr. Morse would agree to pay for the water.

Mr. Putnam, as was stated in The Sun yesterday, transferred 20 men from the maintenance payroll to the filtration plant payroll because he found that his appropriation for maintenance was running dangerously low, while his maintenance payroll was averaging more than \$2000 a week.

He took this matter up at the meeting today as being indirectly related to point at issue. He said that when he first went into the water department the fixed charges were \$100,000, leaving him only \$31,000 for materials and supplies.

The mayor—"If we use the water shouldn't we pay for it?"

Mr. Morse—"Certainly, and I want to pay what I owe."

The mayor—"I think the commissioner of water works and fire protection has presented a fair bill and you should pay it."

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Mr. Morse—"No sir, I don't think so, and I know different. The bill is preposterous and to talk about figuring it by the gallon is the worst I ever heard. We have to pay at the ledger for every gallon of water we use and it is only nonsense to be talking this matter over. I am not going to pay that bill."

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"Well, I voted for it," replied Mr. Donnelly and then a motion to adjourn to Tuesday at 10 o'clock in the forenoon was put and carried.

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Later in the trifling song cycle, Mr. Werrenrath showed ability of a different order, though the songs were scarcely worthy of either composer or singer. Even at the risk of being considered provincial, the writer regretted that so much good elaboration was wasted on such poor material. In a foreword Mr. Werrenrath explained that the songs were originally entitled "of no importance" and it takes a love of New York which we have—not to make one value them to the full. Withal, they were quaint and whimsical, and were refreshing after the more serious music. There is a boyish playfulness in the singer that cropped out with fine effect in his singing of two old Irish airs, "Over and Hills and Far Away" and "Little Mary Cassidy," both of which were beautifully given. The composer, William Arling Fisher, was in the audience. The House of Memories was a delight and the "Fuzzy-Wuzzy" ballad of Kipling was more than kid-hinges.

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Gallows and Cubic Foot

Mr. Putnam then indulged in a process of reckoning on the gallon basis and likewise the cubic foot basis and he showed that had the bills against the street department been figured on the same basis as ordinary water bills, the street department would owe the water department \$1490.81 and he thought Mr. Morse should be willing to pay the small amount asked. "We are only asking \$2000 for the two years," said Mr. Putnam.

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NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

Senate Substitutes Revised Draft of State Board's Milk Bill Creating Board of Control

BOSTON, May 10.—The state senate returned yesterday to the consideration of the bills to regulate the production and sale of pure milk, and by a vote of 21 to 13 substituted for a bill that was on the calendar the revised draft of one originally drawn up by the state department of health.

The committees on agriculture and public health, sitting jointly, reported several days ago "no legislation necessary" on the milk question, but when the report came up in the senate on Monday Senator Cummings of Worcester persuaded the senate to substitute for the report a bill which authorized the state department of health to prohibit the sale of milk produced in a community where communicable diseases prevailed and also to compensate the producers for the loss of such milk.

Many members of the senate understood Senator Cummings to say on Monday that his bill was satisfactory to Mr. McLaughlin of the state department of health. For that reason they did not oppose the Cummings bill, and Senator Jackson of Lynn, who had intended to move substitution of the bill drawn by the state department of health, withdrew his bill and assented to the substitution of the Cummings' bill.

Shift from Cummings' Bill

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Persons to be eligible to take this examination must be graduates of colleges or normal schools and must have had two years' successful experience as teachers.

All applicants must signify their intention of taking the examination by notifying the superintendent of schools in writing at least three weeks before the date of such examination, at which time the list will be closed and after which time no new names will be added.

The subjects of the examination will be Arithmetic, English, Grammar and Language, United States History and Civil Government, and Principles and Methods of Teaching.

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HUGH J. MOLLOY,

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By order of the Heirs.

ton asked why if the state was to be used as a collection agency it should compel everybody to pay his bills once a month.

Mr. Sawyer said that some of the milk contractors made the farmers wait months for the money due them for milk. He argued that milk was different from other commodities in that there are many special laws applying to it and that it is perishable and easily controlled by a monopoly of contractors.

Chairman Warner wanted to know how many of these dishonest contractors there were. Representative Sawyer said there probably are a dozen or more, most of whom operate in one town after another, since the farmers right and left, and then move out of the state.

Representative Watertown L. Williams, Wilfrid Wheeler, secretary of the state board of agriculture; Representative George P. Drury and P. M. Harwood, general agent of the dairy bureau, spoke in favor of the bill.

George Albrecht opposed the bill. He admitted that many farmers in Massachusetts are fleeced, but he did not think it fair to compel the small, honest contractor to furnish a bond which he would find it almost impossible to obtain.

FRENCH MILITARY MEDAL

HARVARD GRADUATE IN FLYING CORPS CITED FOR SECOND TIME

IN ARMY ORDERS

PARIS, May 10.—Elliot Cowdin of New York city, a graduate of Harvard, has just received the military medal and has been cited for the second time in army orders for his brilliant aviation exploits as a member of the Franco-American flying corps. The citation says of Cowdin, who is now a sergeant:

"He engaged voluntarily for the duration of the war and has shown remarkable bravery, dash and devotion. He defeated an enemy aeroplane in the recent operations and has attacked 12 enemy machines, of which one has been destroyed."

This is considered a notable tribute to the American flying legion which is composed of more than 50 Americans, most of them university graduates.

A bureau has been opened at 15 Champs Elysees for the purpose of recruiting additional American aviators.

LICENSE BOARD HEARING

REMONSTRANCE AGAINST POOL ROOM LICENSE ON DUTTON ST.—MINOR LICENSES GRANTED

Another chapter of evidence was presented at the meeting of the license commission last evening at the hearing of a remonstrance by Rose T. Rourke, who conducts a variety store at 255 Dutton street, against the issuance of a billiard and pool license to Fred Christos in premises adjoining his fruit store at 291 Dutton st.

Testimony that patrons of the variety store were insulted as they passed the pool room was offered by the remonstrant and her sister, Mrs. Margaret O'Loughlin. The board continued the matter without action.

The following sixth class liquor licenses were granted: John A. Osgood, Merrimack and Surook streets; Clarence H. Holland, 4 Mammoth road; Richard S. Donoghue, for P. & E. Bailey & Co.; Charles J. Sullivan, Granby street.

Among the minor permits issued were the following: Express John J. Keefe, North Chelmsford; Nicholas Theodore, 400 Market street; Michael J. Feeney, 16 Kinsman; Martin E. Fahey, 66 Salem; Job wagon, Sykes Compton's, 70 Summer; Auctioneers William J. Courtemer, 325 Hillcrest building, Intelligent office, Sarah L. Anderson, 1018 Gorham; Hawker and peddler, Abram Kralin, 131 Bellhead; Nelson Theodorou, 409 Market; Fred Mayo, Dracut; Celery, Martin P. Fahey, 66 Salem; Anthony Coza, 93 Library avenue; Common victualler, Elmer E. Chase, East Merrimack and Staelknot streets; Vasilius Perakis, 266 Market; Junk collector—George Gennecot, 1 Market in rear of St. Rock street. To sell frankfurts—William Reinard, 58 Howard; Second hand clothing—James Bancroft, 381 Central; Sunray permittee, John J. Fraser, 1350 Middlesex; A. Couture, 287 Atken; Joseph G. Quigley, 296 Bridge; M. Isidoran, 50 Lakeview avenue; S. Deporan, 50 Central; Mary Mathews, 7 Newhall; Marie Semple, 285 Lincoln; Hermine Desjardin, 232 Aiken; Jennie L. Sullivan, 193 Broadway; Mary L. Cayer, 73 Branch; M. Yonokoshian, 335 Central; Harriet J. Fleming, 143 Sixth avenue; Ida G. Bell, 643 Middlesex; Haig Govilishian, 59 Wamesit; Marcelle M. Lester, 4 Chester; James J. Gallagher, 262 Merrimack; Nancy Henn, 50 Lakeview ave.; Annie McKenna, 72 Bowers; Nellie Dunphy, 425 Central; Rose Masterson, 501 Central; David Latham, 522 Princeton; Sarah T. Ball, 554 Central; Minnie A. Clinton, 370 Central.

Mrs. Richard Wightman invested \$15,000 in a New Mexico mine a year ago and today is worth over \$20,000. After investing her money she went to work in a pair of overalls, and after making her husband president of the company she formed she then made herself general manager of the concern.

Auctioneer

The Leading Resort House of the World.
Marlborough Blenheim
ATLANTIC CITY, N.J.
The month of May, after the Easter rush, is most attractive.

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BAD MAN KILLED

De La Garza, Smuggler, Informer of Villa, Shot by American Trooper

MARATHON, Tex., May 10.—Demetrio de la Garza, once known as the "bad man of the Big Bend country," met his death in a long range rifle duel with an American trooper on Monday in the hills near Boquillas. The cavalryman not only killed de la Garza, but the Mexican's companion as well. De la Garza kept a small trading store on the American side of the Rio Grande, but ranchers have long known him as a smuggler. News of his death was brought here today by J. W. Gudson, a truck contractor.

De la Garza resented the presence of American soldiers as a border patrol and he is said to have given advance information to the Villa bandits before their raid. The informer, with an assistant, observed the American cavalryman on patrol duty near Boquillas on Monday and the two Mexicans opened fire. The cavalryman returned the fire and killed the two Mexicans.

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PINDER HEARING OPENS BEFORE JUDGE ENRIGHT

The petition of John J. Pinder for a review of the action of Mayor James E. O'Donnell in abolishing the office of police messenger came up for hearing in the police court this afternoon, before Judge Thomas J. Enright.

It will be remembered that the mayor abolished the office of police messenger on the ground that it was an unnecessary expense to the police department; that later a hearing was given by the mayor and that in his findings on said hearing the mayor reaffirmed his former decision in the matter.

At the hearing this afternoon, former Mayor Dennis J. Murphy appeared for Mr. Pinder and City Solicitor Varnum for the mayor. There were several witnesses for the petitioner.

The hearing was begun at 2:10 o'clock, counsel for the petitioner reading the records of the case, and commentaries connected therewith, including the order of the court.

Mr. Varnum then asked that the hearing be discharged as there were no charges against the petitioner, simply the abolition of the position, and inasmuch as he had been removed because the office had been done away with, he was no longer entitled to the protection of the civil service.

The court quoted certain sections from the case of Gardner vs. City of Lowell, and denied the motion to dismiss.

The witnesses sworn included the petitioner, John J. Pinder, City Auditor Paige, City Messenger Monahan, Police Officer Paige, James Flanagan, J. J. Murphy, and others.

The petitioner, John J. Pinder, was the first witness. He said he had been in the employ of the police department almost 11 years. He was about to receive the duties performed by him when objection was offered by Mr. Varnum on the ground that the duties of a police messenger was a question of law rather than the reputation of an individual, and that witness could not testify beyond the scope of his position as messenger.

There was some controversy over this point and the court then ordered that witness to testify to his duties as messenger, Mr. Varnum filing various objections.

Counsel for petitioner said it didn't make any difference at this time as to what might be admitted as his, the

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Preceded by an automobile parade, flag raising and other exercises, the Lowell baseball team played its first home game in the newly organized Eastern league at Spalding park this afternoon. Though the weather was doubtful and cloudy, the rain held off and the game started at 3 o'clock, with a good sized attendance. Starting from headquarters of the Lowell Baseball club the parade, consisting of 14 automobiles containing the members of the municipal council, team owners and members of the Lowell team and newspaper representatives and headed by the Sixth Regiment band, proceeded up Merrimack street, around Monument square, back Merrimack to Central, and then to the railroad station in Middlesex street, where the Bridgeport players, who were several hours late in arriving, were met at 1:45 o'clock.

With the Bridgeport players in line the parade returned down Middlesex street, through Central street to Merrimack square and then to the ball park. Several hundred spectators, including many women, witnessed the parade from the sidewalks all along the route and greeted the Lowell players.

The Lowell players appeared in their new white uniforms for the first time, and the visitors appeared in their dark gray travelling suits. The Lowell team took the field, first and Manager Lord put his men through a fast workout. It was the first team during the 12 days' trip through the cities in the southern end of the circuit and was confident that Lowell will give a much better performance than on the recent trip.

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Questioned by Mr. Murphy, Mr. Pinder said that Mayor O'Donnell had never intimated to him that his services were unnecessary, and said that Mayor O'Donnell allowed him his wages when he was sick for three months from Jan. 10, 1912, to April 1 of the same year. Mr. Murphy sought to show that the department of public safety was given a larger appropriation in 1916 than in 1915, that no extra expenses attached to the department in 1916, and yet the office of messenger was abolished in 1916, under the guise of economy. To this attempt on the part of counsel for petitioner,

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The two teams headed by the Sixth regiment band "marched" from the grand stand down to centre field to the flag pole accompanied by Owners Connor and Roach and circled around the flagpole. The flag was raised to the top of the staff while the band played the Star Spangled Banner, and the players stood with uncovered heads. When the flag was hoisted to the top of the pole it was discovered that the stars and stripes were upside down and the performance had to be repeated. After the players had returned to the plate Owners Connor and Roach were called to the centre of the diamond and Benjamin J. Maloney, Esq., presented Mr. Roach a beautiful basket of flowers, the gift of intimate friends. Mr. Roach also received a handsome floral horseshoe and wreath from the Washington club. The floral wreath stood fully 15 feet from the ground and was one of the most beautiful ever presented to a local ball magnate. The presentation was made by Register of Deeds William Purcell on behalf of members of the club. When these exercises took place there was loud applause from the grandstand and bleachers.

Fans at the game were interested in the appearance of the teams as both Managers Lord and Ball only a few years ago were in the major leagues. Bridgeport's star pitcher, Walsh, who did mound duty today is a brother of Big Ed Walsh. He defeated Lowell at the opening game of the season in Bridgeport, one week ago last Saturday.

Major Pitched First Ball
Manager Lord selected Zeke Lohman to twirl for the home club, and Kilhullen was picked to do the receiving work. Major O'Donnell, escorted by

Score: Lowell 6, Bridgeport 0.

Third Inning

Munn took Moshier's easy grounder and tagged first. The big first baseman then took Smith's line drive, for the second out. Walsh went out on a grounder, Downey to Munn.

No runs, no hits, no errors.

In the last of the third Guelin took Walsh's place. Downey greeted him with a double to the left field fence. Crooks took Munn's hit in front of the plate and threw wild to third and both runners were safe.

Torphy reached first on a grounder which Ball fumbled, but Munn was forced out at second. A moment later Torphy was out stealing second. Kilhullen hit to second and Downey was caught at the plate.

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No runs, 1 hit, 2 errors.

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OTHER SCORES

Lawrence 12, New Haven 0.

Hartford 2, Portland 16.

Mr. Varnum took serious objection on the ground that the amount of money appropriated was not material and incidentally remarked that John D. Rockefeller would have as much right to economize as would the poor man. "No amount of money in the treasury would justify the mayor in keeping a man in office if that office was an unnecessary one," said Mr. Varnum, "and it is the duty of the department head, regardless of how much money there may be in the department treasury, to get rid of all superfluous officers and abolish all unnecessary offices."

The case gave evidence of involving city finances and Mr. Varnum said if the financial question was gone into, the case would be in court for days, but the court said he would keep it within bounds.

Replying to Mr. Murphy, Mr. Pinder said he is still in the employ of the police department, and Mr. Murphy then read a letter from Mayor O'Donnell to Mr. Pinder advising the latter of the fact that the office of police messenger had been abolished. This communication was submitted as Exhibit A.

On the question of economy and expense, Mr. Murphy sought to show that there was no increase in the number of patrolmen in 1916 over 1915 and that the expenses of the department were not increased in 1916 over 1915, except in three small items.

Court Objects

The court could not quite see what difference it would make whether the expenses had increased or decreased in 1916. He said the fact no more patrolmen were employed wouldn't be likely to influence the court's findings in any way.

Mr. Murphy thought it absolutely necessary to take all these things into consideration in order to clear the atmosphere as to good faith, but the court didn't see it that way.

The court, however, suggested that counsel for petitioner might be justified in submitting the appropriations for 1916, and Mr. Murphy said he would do that later through the city auditor.

Mr. Pinder then proceeded to testify as to appropriations, costs and transfers having to do with the police department.

The court called a halt, however, after several amounts had been stated and said he didn't see what benefit such information would be to him.

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SIX DAY BAZAAR

Big Event for St. Louis Church—Big Attendance—Fine Program

A large attendance, exceptionally good business and a varied entertainment program marked the opening of the six-day bazaar in the parochial school of St. Louis' parish last evening, the event being given under the auspices of the various church and fraternal organizations of the parish for the benefit of the new church now under construction. The attractive

Correspondence was prevented in a very commendable way by Mrs. O. J. David and Arcelle Brunelle.

The various sales tables and those in charge were as follows:

Children of Mary Sodality, dolls and novelties—Chairman, Miss Lucie Mallot; aids, Misses Alida Ducharme, Christine Ducharme, Marie Anne Quellette, Eva Lequin, J. Dallaire, C. Daigle, V. and A. Lafontaine, C. Caron, E. Dupuis, C. Hebert, A. Bourassa, R. A. Ducharme, P. Catte, I. Montral, Eva Caron and others.

Parish table—Chairman, Adelard St. Jean; Mrs. Joseph Lemieux, Mrs. J. A. Folsy, Miss Marie Albert, Odile Demers, Louis Ferland, Albert St. Jean, Miss Maria Asselin, Mrs. W. Asselin, Miss Marie A. Theriault, Miss Rose St. Jean, Mrs. A. Jodoin, Misses Blanchard and Rose Roussel, Mrs. M. Roussel and A. Roussel and Miss Blanchard Jodoin.

Sacred Heart League, hoop-la and bonbons—Chairman, Elzear Massé; Charles Bourret, Auguste Desmarais, H. P. Boudreau, Hector Jodoin, Wilfrid Desmarais, Edouard Landry and Henry Champagne.

Branch St. Louis, A.C.F.—Chairman, Joseph Guillemin; H. Poirier, Thomas Savard, Arsene and Armand Trudel.

Tentes Court St. Louis, F.F.A.—Chairman, Auguste Jodoin; Damien Mathe, Olivier Mathe, Joseph Levy, Henry Lepine and Harry Decelle.

Centralville Social Club, Dame Fortune—Chairman W. Vincent; A. Brachaud, Lucius Mayrand, Alfred Jean Marie, Alfred Lassiter, Wilfrid Pigeon and A. Emond.

Garde St. Louis, novelties—Chairman, Xavier Aubry; Edmond Gamache, Julie Morissette, David Lamontagne and Arsene Guy.

Former girl students of St. Louis' school—Chairman, Miss Marguerite Delorme, Almina Demers, Clare Despres, Allina Dallaire, Eva Despres, Antoinette and Evangelie Chaput, Lina Patenaude, Louise Benoit, L. Hardy, M. Renaud and A. Daigle.

Ste. Anne Sodality—Chairman, Mrs. G. Caron; Mrs. N. Gadbois, Mrs. A. Bellefeuille, Mrs. T. Savard, Mrs. A. Branchaud, Mrs. E. Bolduc, Mrs. W. Parent, Mrs. E. Morin, Mrs. L. Michaud, Mrs. L. Favreau, Mrs. R. Monier, Mrs. A. Gervais, Mrs. E. Mercier, Mrs. J. d'Amour, Mrs. A. Chaput, Mrs. J. Primeau, Mrs. A. Maillet, Mrs. A. Dumas and Mrs. Therberge.

Third Order of St. Francis Sodality—Chairman, Mrs. Eugene Vincent; Mrs. Wilfrid Gendreau, Mrs. Calixte Legtin, Mrs. Elo N. Braault, Mrs. Theodore Harnois, Mrs. Auguste Desmarais, Mrs. L. Lord, Mrs. Joseph Lambert, Mrs. Ida Lambert, Mrs. Philomena Larose and Mrs. B. Asselin.

Former boy students of St. Louis' school—Chairman, Armand Vladi, Paul Folsy, Leo Demers, Stephen Toupin and Leo Doré Vladi.

The general committee in charge of the bazaar is as follows: Chairman, Pierre Brousseau; aids, Charles Bourret and Mrs. Godfrey Caron; secretary, Miss Marie S. Maillet, and treasurer, Rev. J. B. Labossiere, pastor.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Several interesting reports were submitted at the regular meeting of Court Merrimack, No. 11, Foresters of America, held last evening in Grafton Hall. Edward J. McInerney presided. Four applications for membership were read and two candidates were voted upon. The woodsmen reported that these brothers are convalescing: Thomas McCabe, Thomas Hayden, John Lyons, Hugh Mellon and Joseph Boyd. Other news of importance were discussed. Under the good of the order remarks were made by John Barritt, Richard J. Townsend, James A. Hearn and John F. Sullivan. At the close of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed.

ECHO LODGE, N.E.O.P.

The regular meeting of Echo Lodge, N.E.O.P., was held last evening in Post 184 hall with a large attendance. It was announced that Deputy Grand Warden Dorn N. Cole, accompanied by Grand Warden Asa Smith will visit the lodge at the next meeting. A committee consisting of Oswald J. Bertrand,

P. A. BROUSSEAU
Chairman General Committee

sales tables in various corners of the hall, the splendid decorations, the numerous electric bulbs and the fine garments worn by the members of the fair sex, all added greatly to the brilliancy of the occasion.

In attendance were people from all parts of the city as well as several from out-of-town and a brisk business was the feature of the evening. The guests were welcomed by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Labossiere, who in a brief address explained the purpose of the bazaar and he informed his listeners with the completion of the new church building Lowell will possess another splendid temple of which the French-Americans of this city and particularly of West Centralville, will be proud. He also stated that the hall will be open for the bazaar on the evenings of May 13, 16, 18, 20 and 23.

During last evening a varied musical program was given by Cornetier's orchestra, while M. Clermont, a slack-wire artist performed much to the delight of the audience. A clever one-act sketch entitled "Amour par une acte" entitled "Amour par une acte" was presented.

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wherever you go... You don't know when you may need them. They are the best thing for dyspeptic troubles—sour stomach, wind in the stomach, heartburn and nausea—that has ever been prepared. They quiet stomach disturbances at once, and are as pleasant as they are prompt. Dys-pep-lets are made only by their originators, C. L. Hood Co., Lowell, Mass. They are put up in three sizes—\$1.25 and \$1.00, and sold by all druggists.

New Advance Styles

The latest 5th Avenue styles are here on sale this week.

The new tailored lines with the graceful fullness at the hips; navy and new hair line stripes at

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WORTH UP TO \$37.00

COMING TO THIS CITY

HAVERHILL PASTOR ACCEPTS CALL TO PAWTUCKET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH IN THIS CITY

Rev. Arthur G. Lyon of Haverhill has accepted a call to the Pawtucket Congregational church in this city. Rev. Mr. Lyon is now pastor of the Riverside Memorial church in Haverhill and to his congregation, Sunday evening he announced his decision to accept the call to Lowell in the following letter:

My Dear Friends: I feel that the time has come for us to bring my labors with this church to a close. The year that I have been with you have been attended by a constant and healthful growth, and what measures of success I have had is due to your loyal co-operation and self-sacrifice.

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THE BOARD OF TRADE

BOARD WITHDRAWS USE OF ITS NAME FOR BAND—NEW MEMBERS ADMITTED

A monthly meeting of the directors of the Lowell board of trade was held last evening in the rooms of the organization in Central street, and a feature of the meeting was the drafting of an amendment to the consti-

tu-tion to make up the directorate of the board on the basis of one director for each 25 of the membership. This amendment will be presented at the annual meeting to be held June 7.

The meeting also discussed and acted upon several referenda sent by the chamber of commerce of the United States which had previously been passed upon by the following committee: A. D. Milliken, chairman; John H. Gardner, Gardner W. Macarthy, C. L. Hood, and Capt. William P. White, U.S.N., retired.

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WILSON KAISER'S MASTER

Paris Papers Call President's Note to Germany a Masterpiece of Diplomacy

PARIS, May 10.—Great prominence is given by the newspapers of Paris this morning to the latest American note to Germany, replying to the communication respecting submarine warfare. The American note is spoken of as a masterpiece of diplomacy.

The Main says the American note places Germany in a moral dilemma; her suggestions having been rejected, but her promises registered so that they will have to be kept. It continues:

"It must be clear to all neutrals that Germany has suffered an unprecedented diplomatic defeat. It will be interesting to see how the German government explains to the public that it has consented radically to modify submarine warfare without obtaining the slightest compensation in exchange."

One of the most important points to be noted in regard to the American reply, in the opinion of the Petit Parisien, is that it ignores the allusion in the German note to the chancellor's two declarations in the Reichstag in regard to peace negotiations. This paper says:

"Emperor William desired to catch President Wilson in a trap, the emperor is caught in his own trap. He has met his master. There remains nothing for him to do except either to accept the American note at the risk of losing the fury of the German governmental parties or to take upon himself the initiative in bringing about a rupture which would entail serious consequences for Germany."

THINK U-BOAT DISPUTE OVER

Washington Officials Expect No Reply From Berlin—Believe Cymric Forfeited Immunity

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The White House, state department and German embassy last night appeared to be satisfied that the diplomatic record in the general submarine issue is closed, with the exception of a settlement of the scores which the United

REPLY REACHES BERLIN

BERLIN, May 9, 10:30 p. m.—President Wilson's reply to Germany, accepting Germany's promise of a change in her methods of submarine warfare, has reached Berlin, but has not yet been handed to the German government by Ambassador Gerard.

HELD MILITARY WHIST

ENJOYABLE SOCIAL EVENT IN LINCOLN HALL FOR ST. PETER'S ORPHANAGE

One of the most successful social events conducted in Lincoln hall this season was the military whist party and dance given last evening in aid of St. Peter's orphanage. The hall was prettily decorated with colored bunting, outlining the balcony front and streamers extending from the sides to a chandelier in the centre. Tables were set on the main floor and the whist was enjoyed by a large number of young people. The prize winners were as follows: Ladies—First, Miss Marietta Gormley; second, Miss Lucy Spillane; third, Miss Rose Dowd. Gents—First, Leo Mullin; second, Stephen Shelyan. Following the whist dancing was indulged in until midnight with Doyle's orchestra furnishing the music. The committee in charge was: Chairman, Mrs. Henry L. Rourke; Miss Lulu Ginty, Miss Mossie McKeon, Daniel O'Dea, Cornelius J. O'Neill and Arthur T. Cull.

GREENHALGE COUNCIL, 100, L.A.

At the close of the meeting of Greenhalge council, No. 100, Loyal association, in Highland hall, last night, a delightful concert was listened to, given on a new Sonoa phonograph kindly loaned by H. C. Kitteridge of this city, and the operator displayed its many new features to good advantage. During the concert the members and invited guests were served strawberries, cake and ice cream.

WILL OF W. S. MURPHY

Entire Estate Left to Harvard to Provide Scholarships For Men Named Murphy

BOSTON, May 10.—The will of William S. Murphy, by which his entire estate of \$40,000 was left to Harvard college to provide scholarships for young men named Murphy, was admitted to probate today. Two cousins in Worcester and New Haven, Conn., who had contested the will, withdrew their objections after an argument by which they received a small amount. The testator, a graduate of Harvard 31 years ago, had died without immediate kin.

RIVERS AND HARBORS BILL

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Senator Kenyon, republican, who had spoken against the rivers and harbors bill for several hours when the senate recessed last night, continued his speech to-day.

Senators Sherman, who with Senator Kenyon, signed a minority report against the bill, was prepared to speak when the senator from Iowa yielded the floor.

SINKING OF BRAZILIAN SHIP

RIO JANEIRO, May 10.—The German minister, replying to the note of the Brazilian government in regard to the sinking of the Brazilian steamship Rio Branco by a German submarine, informed the chancellor, to-day that his government undoubtedly would receive willingly any communication on the subject addressed to it by Brazil. The minister also expressed his gratification that the crew of the Rio Branco had been saved. As soon as the official inquiry into the sinking of the ship is concluded demand for indemnity will be presented to Berlin.

LOWELL'S YEAR BOOK

Officials of the Lowell board of trade have started this morning on compiling their year book and they hope to have the pamphlet out about the middle of the summer. The volume this year will be different from all others published thus far by the board, for it will be in the form of a "World's Almanac" for Lowell, inasmuch as it will contain considerable information concerning Lowell, her industries, her business and consider other data which will prove of some benefit to the public in general.

5 Lbs. SUGAR 35c

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1 lb. COFFEE.....25c

BOTH FOR60c

Tomato Soup, can....6½c



EVERYBODY LOOKS FORWARD TO Cherry & Webb's Annual May Sale

Our buyers in New York last week were busy rounding up garments up to the Cherry & Webb standard. The labor strike is on; not a wheel moving; 75,000 operatives idle. We want to protect you and are prepared with a heavy stock. We want quick action and COMMENCING TODAY we will show our supremacy by quoting you prices that will make a record. So don't delay, but be on hand and get your share.

HUNDREDS WILL PROFIT BY IT

REMARKABLE OFFERINGS OF WOMEN'S

\$22.50 AND \$25.00

SUITS

Every new model for Spring—ripple, flare and belted effects.
Rooke, green, tan, open and navy.

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300 SAMPLE SUITS—\$27.50 to \$30.00 Everywhere—Gabardines, Fine Poplins and Munnish Serges. Tailored and fancy styles. Choice.....

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Voiles in various models; waists trimmed with smart collars; skirts in the newest styles, \$7.50 values,

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Hundreds of New Wash Skirts, Also Silk and Awning Stripe Sport Skirts In Stock—For Today

\$7.50 SKIRTS.....
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Smart models in Linen, Net and Novelty goods, \$10 values,

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Strictly Tailored and Lingerie models, \$1.50 BLOUSES, at.....

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Women's \$3 Silk Blouses, China Silk and Stripes. Sizes 36 to 44.....

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EXTRA SPECIAL FASHION BASEMENT

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CASES IN POLICE COURT THE MEXICAN SITUATION

Fine of \$50 for Selling Hard Cider—Stroila Gets 18 Months—Youths Stole Auto

Ammunition for Bandits Seized—Hawaiian Militia Volunteers Services—Conference Resumed

John A. Hastings, who conducts a small variety store in Lawrence street, was fined \$50 this morning in police court by Judge Enright for the illegal sale of liquor. Through his counsel, Edward J. Tierney, he appealed and was held in the sum of \$200 for his appearance before the superior court.

It is claimed that Hastings sold cider which contained more alcohol than the law allows to employees of the U. S. Cartridge Co., and a complaint was made against him by officials of the company. Testifying in his own behalf Hastings said that he purchased the cider, believing it to be sweet cider, and that he did not know that it contained alcohol.

Given 18 Months

Peter Stroila, who was arrested in this city during the early part of April with Mrs. Dora Heffernan and later taken back to Fond du Lac, charged with abducting the woman, has been sentenced to jail for a term of 18 months, by the Fond du Lac authorities.

Stroila and the woman, when arrested here, were booked for illegal cohabitation. While they were being detained awaiting trial, a complaint reached here from Fond du Lac charging Stroila with abducting the woman. Stroila fought extradition for a time but was later taken to the Michigan hamlet by Sheriff Fick. The woman was let go on her promise that she will go to live with relatives in Fond du Lac.

ROCKVILLE, Conn., May 10.—The factory of E. J. Martin Sons, makers of silk skein yarn, was burned early today. The loss is estimated at about \$150,000. The cause of the fire is not known.

O.M.I. CADETS TONIGHT

This will be a gay night for the O.M.I. Cadets as they will hold their annual exhibition and prize drill in Associate hall. Some fine features are provided and those who attend will find an evening of rare enjoyment.

INCREASE AT BALLARDUALE

ANDOVER, May 10.—Two hundred employees of the Ballarduale mills received a 10 per cent increase in wages this week.

STRIKERS RETURN TO WORK

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 10.—Three thousand more men entered the plant of the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co. at East Pittsburg today before the gates were shut. All of the strikers who now desire to return will have to make application through the employment office.

The situation in other parts of the Turtle Creek valley was declared by factory managers to be improved, and more men returned to work at McKeon Rocks, where employees of the Pressed Steel Car Co. have been striking.

Larceny Case

John Lira, who appeared on a complaint charging him with larceny of several articles from the homes of John Edmonds and John O'Malley had his case continued until Saturday.

FINED \$10

Mrs. Kalliope Argelinas, who it is alleged, certified to a material false statement in trying to obtain a working certificate for her son, Albanias Argelinas, on April 15, 1915, was fined \$10. According to the testimony of

companies of coast artillery ordered out last night by Secretary Baker.

The proposed military agreement between the Carranza and American governments remained unsigned and Gen. Obregon, Mexican war minister, after a three-hour discussion with Gen. Scott last night arranged for another conference to-day.

If the situation warrants, National Guards of other states will be called out for border patrol duty, officials declared. Secretary Baker stated, however, that no further mobilization orders are contemplated immediately.

REPORT CONCERNED UPISING

Unofficial reports were received that Mexicans along the entire border had planned for today a concerted uprising. From Mazatlan on the west coast of Mexico, came word that the consuls had been warned by anonymous letters that the consulate would be blown up. All Americans would be blown up. All Americans were urged to leave Mexico within 48 hours. These reports increased anxiety over the situation among officials today.

In addition to the 4000 soldiers and an equal number from Texas, New Mexico and Arizona, ordered to the border yesterday, Secretary Baker announced about 1000 soldiers, comprising eleven companies of United States coast artillery stationed at gulf and Atlantic seaboard posts, had been ordered to San Antonio to serve as infantry with the border patrol.

45,000 Now on Duty

The secretary also said five batteries of the Fifth Field artillery had been ordered from Fort Sill, Okla.

Three additional batteries of the Third Field artillery were held in readiness at Tobynha, Pa., under orders today.

Unofficial estimates placed the number of troops now on Mexican duty at about 15,000.

LETTERS WITH BULLETS

COLUMBUS, N. M., May 10.—One of the hundreds of bullets the American soldier boys are using to write letters to their wives, mothers or sweethearts may later kill Villa.

The soldiers write most of their letters with bullets, on the cardboard ends of shot boxes. Pens, pencils and stationery are among the equipment abandoned by the expedition, so it could travel light and fast.

Several of the shoe box letters state that these are "written with the bullet that's going to kill Villa."

The shoe box letters are delivered unsealed, as postal cards. A big bag full of them arrives here every few days by aeroplane.

WANT "A CATEGORICAL DECLARATION" FROM WILSON

MEXICO CITY, May 9.—Dr. Al, leader of the Mexican labor party, and intimate friend of Gen. Carranza, sent a telegram tonight to President Wilson, declaring that the Mexican people and all Latin-American want "a categorical declaration" from him as to his policy toward the Latin-American republics. The telegram read in part:

"We intellectuals of Latin-America earnestly ask that you do not permit a peace-loving people like the Americans to be dragged into an adventure which will perish the principles of civilization and the tranquility and well-being of America. History will most severely judge the executive who does not prevent by all means possible war between the United States and Mexico. The Mexican people and those of all Latin-American want a categorical declaration from you as to the policy you will observe toward these countries."

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

DURANGO VERY RICH

STATE WITH AN AREA EQUAL TO VIRGINIA IS RICH IN GOLD, SILVER AND OTHER METALS

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—The march of General Pershing's punitive expeditionary force to Durango, Mexico, has focussed public interest on this state which has an area equal to Virginia and a population not exceeding that of New Hampshire, which is less than one-fourth as large. The National Geographic Society of Washington has issued an interesting and informative Bulletin on this rich political division of the southern republic, which says:

"Durango is surpassed in the number of its mining properties, aggregating more than 4000, by only two states in Mexico—Chihuahua and Sonora. Its natural resources include silver, gold, lead, tin, copper, sulphur and rubies. The state's wealth is not confined to minerals, however, for there are extensive forests of valuable timber and the agricultural resources are capable of almost unlimited de-

velopment, while 1,000,000 head of stock find rich pasture on its fertile tableland.

"The Nazas River, which empties into Lake Patzcuaro, is the principal waterway of the state. It is known as the Nile of Durango. In the spring, as the snow melts, the river inundates its valley, leaving a rich deposit of silt brought down from the mountains.

"At an elevation of 6000 feet, the city of Durango, capital of the state, enjoys a matchless climate which has earned it the sobriquet, 'town of sunshine.' It is one of the oldest Spanish settlements in the republic, having been founded by Captain Ibarra two years before the followers of Don Pedro Menéndez de Avilés initiated the permanent colonization of the United States at St. Augustine. The site of the present city was reached by the adventurer and silver seeker Mercado, who in 1532 discovered the famous Iron mountain, of the suburbs. When Ibarra arrived with his colonists the country was occupied by nomadic savage tribes.

"One of the odd customs of the Durango district is the funeral ceremony for children. An angel is being buried is the explanation which a native will give of a gay procession headed by a woman bearing aloft on a board a bundle bound in white. The parents of the child are obligated to give it joyfully to heaven, to the ac-

tion of the gods.

"One of the products indigenous to Durango, but one of which the state does not boast, is a venomous species of scorpion whose sting is almost invariably fatal. In the warm regions of the state but which is more painful than dangerous in the higher and cooler altitudes. In the vicinity of

Durango City 60,000 of these reptiles are killed annually, some of the natives making a business of destroying them, collecting from the municipality a bounty of one centavo per scorpion.

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"Durango derives its name from the old Spanish town of that name, in the Basque provinces.

Another good time, Fri., No. Billerie

AMUSEMENT NOTES

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Three headline features, utterly dissimilar in their methods of evoking interest, make one of the strongest batteries presented at the B. F. Keith theatre during the entire season. The present is the 37th and last week of vaudeville at this splendid theatre, and to close the season the management has provided a bill of novelty. Anna Chandler, one of the very best of singing comedienne in the land, is the underlined feature of the bill. Miss Chandler sings mostly, but she talks a little, particularly with relation to her closing number, the waltz song, "Rolling Stones." This latter number is absolutely new here and it is one of the most bewitching songs heard here in a long time. But it isn't one song that makes Miss Chandler's performance a hit, any more than one swallow makes a summer. There are several of them, and they are all good. She will rank as one of the season's biggest hits. Add Hoyt's minstrels, with Tom Clifford as the interlocutor, are specially pleasing. They follow the prescribed formula of minstrel performances, and therefore give tender ballads and comic numbers, and some rattling good ensembles. Lew Russell and Leo Pelletier, in their solos, are roundly applauded, and the refrains, taken up by the quintet, result in encores being demanded. But, after all, the end songs of Add Hoyt and John Forsman, make the biggest hits of the performance.

Both men are very good and Hoyt's "Fall River Line" song, with local stanzas, pleases so well that audiences never get quite enough. James Diamond and Sibyl Brennan in "Niftynessense" are sure winners. Diamond is almost a whole show in himself. He is singer, comedian, acrobat and dancer, while Miss Brennan is exceedingly good to look upon, a good singer and a graceful dancer.

They weave many good things into their act, and easily rank with some of the best performers of the entire season. Ed Gordon and Ida Day in "Silent Nonsense," combine eccentric bicycling with comedy. Gordon is one of the best tramp comedians in the business, and in addition he is a very funny man on the wheel. Miss Day is as pretty as a picture and a good rider. In "The Politician," William Wilson & Co. have a farce comedy which is built purely for the purpose of causing laughter. Wilson has an explosive style about his work which is calculated to make one scream with delight.

Cahill, Chilton & Goas, two maids and a man, in a singing and dancing skit, are well gotten up for their work, and Tom Kuma, the Jap with the novel rings, is somewhat out of the ordinary as an opener to the bill.

The Selig-Tribune motion pictures show many new scenes taken in different parts of the world. Next week the supplementary season will open with the biggest film features obtainable. Triangle and Keystone pictures will be used almost exclusively, and Marie Doro will be featured the first half of the week. Watch for the announcements.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

The stellar bill which has been attracting the attention of local theatre-goers to the Merrimack Square theatre during the past two days, will be shown at the continuous performances today for the last time. "David Garrick" is a play which no one can afford to miss and this is the last opportunity to witness it. This play portrays in most interesting manner the chief events, especially the romance in the life of the noted Garrick who bent all his efforts to elevate the stage.

Dustin Farnum appears in the role of David Garrick and impersonates the character to perfection. "One Day," by Eleanor Glynn is one of those plays which is seen only occasionally, for plays of its merit are not filmed every day. Be sure to see Jeanne Ivers in the leading part of this play today. The Sis Hopkins comedy and the interesting Pathé News will also be shown today for the last time.

If your name happened to be Nora and you were a poverty-stricken Irish lassie who was coming over from the old country to America to visit your brother, and if that brother was nowhere to be found, would you do what Nora O'Brien did? After being attacked by a knight of the streets, she woke up in a beautifully furnished room where several kind faces clustered about her and lovingly called her "cousin."

Those who attend the Merrimack Square theatre will find out what Nora did when confronted with this problem. It is the basis of the story of "The Innocent Eye," the five-act photo-play in which Valentine Grant is appearing at the Merrimack Square theatre during the next three days.

The beautiful Clara Kimball Young is another of the stars to be seen here Thursday, Friday and Saturday. She will appear in the leading role of her latest success, "The Feast of Life," a strong story of love and life in the Latin lands.

The Burton Holmes travel pictures and the amusing Bray cartoon comedy will also be shown during the remainder of the week starting with the matinee tomorrow.

OWL THEATRE

Another Fox triumph, "The Witch," featuring the famous regal empress of stormy emotion, Miss Nance O'Neill, will be the attraction at the Owl theatre today and tomorrow. This photoplay is a powerful picturization of a wild and entrancing story carried to its highest possible emotional realms by the genius and personality of this famous actress supported by an all-star cast.

The scene of this Fox feature is laid in Mexico, and deals with a local doctor of that land who is accused of possessing occult powers by the governor of the state. As a result of this a feud arises between two factions, one led by the doctor and the other by the governor. The former is killed in battle. The doctor's daughter has inherited the

powers of her father and shortly afterward she cures the daughter of the governor of somnambulism, not knowing at the time that her own lover is crazed by the girl.

When she discovers this fact she goes into a rage and hypnotizes her rival. She is soon after denounced as a witch and is sentenced to be burned at the stake. What happens from then on forms a series of situations in which love, romance, passion and intrigue are powerfully blended.

The scene of the play is laid in a rugged country, and nothing has been left unturned to make this picture one of the greatest successes of the year.

Other excellent photoplays and a side

splitting comedy will also be presented at the Owl theatre today and tomorrow.

JEWEL THEATRE

"The Target," a strong western drama, featuring Hobart Bosworth, Universal's famous screen artist, will be specially presented at the Jewel theatre today and tomorrow. This actor is known for his forceful type of acting, and does not disappoint in this new Red Feather Universal production. Many other fine attractions are also offered on the midweek bill.

ROYAL THEATRE

Peaceful and domestic, fond of his wife and proud of his children, the Faqui is one of the nobles of the tribes who peopled this continent before Columbus came. But deep in his heart clammers the spark of wild, untutored Indian vengeance for wrongs committed; hatred of the man who wounds his feelings or casts derision upon his religion.

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today and tomorrow, has been tricked and trapped into slavery in the peon camps of Yucatan. His wife and child

are ruthlessly debased and slaughtered by the brutal overseers. How the Faqui wreaks vengeance on those who have made them suffer becomes a splendid vehicle in the hands of Hobart Bosworth, who undertakes this character role. He is ably assisted by a fine company of other notables. Many other new photoplays complete the midweek performance. Friday and Saturday, the third episode of "The Mysterious

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HON. JOHN E. REDMOND

Redmond's Appeal Overcomes Carson's Protest — Churchill's Plea for Co-operation by Ulster

LONDON, May 10.—During the committee stage of the military ser-

vice bill, in the house of commons yesterday, Sir John Brownlee Londale, "whip" of the Irish Unionist party, moved that Ireland should be included in the operation of conscription. Premier Asquith, replying, said the question of compulsion was not a matter of agreement with Ireland, and that if the motion was persisted in there would be protracted discussion, which would prevent the measure becoming a law at the earliest possible moment.

No More Conflicts

The premier said that a very large number of representatives of Ireland were not at the moment prepared to accept compulsion in Ireland, and that it was not desirable that the country should be plunged into a controversy on the subject at this time. Ireland had just undergone a terrible ordeal, but the result of it, he believed, would be to establish the foundation among loyal Irishmen of a larger measure of agreement than there ever had been in the past.

The premier asked what could be worse than the representatives of Ireland should be forced into a conflict at this moment. The government, he added, was reviewing with the utmost care, the military arrangements in Ireland, and the matter of bearing arms, and he hoped a common agreement would be reached. The London motion was voted down without division.

Decrying the exclusion of Ireland from compulsion under the military service bill, Sir Edward Carson blamed the government for failing to suppress the anti-recruiting campaign in Ireland, which he believed had largely led to the recent disastrous events.

Redmond Lauds Recruits

John Redmond, the national leader, challenged Sir Edward's assertion that in the recent government of Ireland the nationalists had the power—but not the responsibility.

"Certainly since the coalition government was instituted," said Mr. Redmond, "I had no power in the government of Ireland. My opinions have been overborne and my suggestions rejected. It is my profound conviction that if we had had power and responsibility during the last years the recent occurrences in Ireland would never have arisen."

Mr. Redmond proceeded to declare it unfair to leave the impression that Ireland had not done well in recruiting. She had more than 150,000 men now with the colors, men who had displayed bravery and covered themselves with glory, said the nationalist leader. He opposed conscription for Ireland because he believed compulsion the worst possible way to get men in Ireland and after recent events his deliberate opinion was that it would be insane to attempt to force conscription, and it would be a fearful responsibility. If, in the face of this deliberate opinion, Ulster men should persist in the attempt to force conscription upon Ireland.

Asks Ulster to Co-operate

Mr. Redmond besought the house, not only for the sake of Ireland, but for the sake of the empire, not to proceed with this course.

"Nobody is more anxious than I," he continued, "to respond to the Ulster appeal for co-operation. I have labored against hope and hope still, even in the dark, miserable circumstances of the moment, that we might come together. Ay, and before long I hope with all my heart that out of these miseries we may be able by taking a large, generous view, something like a statesmanlike and far-reaching view of the empire's highest interests, that out of this turmoil and tragedy we may evolve some means of putting an end to these difficulties so that we may have a united Ireland where the people and the government have both power and responsibility."

Winston Spencer Churchill considered that Mr. Redmond had rendered immense service to the empire, and that Great Britain owed a deep debt to the nationalist party for their exertions in the present struggle, "the first struggle," said Colonel Churchill, "in which Ireland has been a valiant friend on our side."

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and there is no difficulty they cannot surmount if they act together."

It is understood that Col. Churchill has decided to resume politics. His battalion at the front has ceased to exist through being absorbed by another unit, and he has obtained leave until further orders.

Mrs. William C. Tyler, a social leader of Los Angeles, Cal., will be one of the four women delegates to the democratic national convention to be held in St. Louis.

U.S. STEEL CORP.

Monthly Statement of
Unfilled Orders Broke
All Records

NEW YORK, May 10.—For the third time this year the monthly statement of unfilled orders of the United States Steel corporation, issued today, broke all records. The orders stood on April 30 at 9,229,551 tons, an increase of 495,559 tons over those on March 31, which broke the previous high record of 8,568,965 tons on Feb. 29.

The unfilled orders of the corporation have more than doubled in a year. On April 30, 1915 they were reported at 4,62,244 tons. Each month since has shown an increase. The plants of the corporation have for some months been working at full capacity.

INDUSTRIAL and STORE NEWS

Carpenters' union, local 1610, will meet tonight in the Runels building.

The Leather Workers' union had a routine session last night in the Central street quarters of the organization.

President J. F. Valentine of the International Moulders' organization will address members of the local union tonight.

Carpenters' union held a short business session last night in the Runels buildings at which two members were admitted, and a number of routine matters were disposed of.

It was reported last night in union circles that Organizer Thomas F. McMahom may be away for some time. He left Lowell a few days ago for Madison, Me., on a business trip, but since that time he has received instructions to endeavor to organize new mills towns in Maine.

It was expected that a regular army with a peace footing of approximately 175,000 men, with the senate expansive organization system for 250,000 men in time of need, would be agreed to. The house provision for reorganization and federalization of the National Guard which would provide for a defense reserve of about 400,000 men also probably will be approved. It was regarded as likely that the house amendment for a nitrate plant to cost \$20,000,000 would be accepted.

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SOCIAL WORKERS MEET

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 10.—Indianapolis was filled today with social workers from all parts of the United States, Canada and Cuba, who are here for the 11th annual meeting of the national conference of charities and corrections which will open with a general session tonight. Fr. Francis H. Gaynor of this city, who is president of the conference, will deliver the president's address, and Ernest P. Bicknell, director of the civilian relief of the American Red Cross will discuss "war relief."

The program for the observance of Labor day this year will probably be similar to that of last year, with a parade in the morning and sports on the South common in the afternoon. President Frank Warlock of the A.F. of L. is progressing and it is probable that a meeting to further this idea may be called soon.

The program for the observance of

it is difficult to forecast whether or not these gentlemen will be able to arrange their itinerary so as to take in Lowell on the holiday in question.

MATRIMONIAL

George E. Durant and Miss Dora Beland were married Sunday at St. Joseph's rectory, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Joseph Denis, O.M.I. The witnesses were the fathers of the bride and bridegroom respectively, Amos Beland and Jacques Durant. After an extended wedding trip through New Hampshire the couple will make their home at 204 Fletcher street.

McCune—Clements

Lawrence B. McCune and Miss Ruth Clements were married May 4 at St. John's Episcopal church by the rector, Rev. James Bancroft. The bridegroom was Miss Marion E. Farley, while the best man was Charles Clements. After the ceremony the couple left on a honeymoon trip to New York.

WORK ON ARMY BILL

AGREEMENT THOUGHT TO BE NEAR
AT HAND—LITTLE DELAY EXPECTED

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Work on the army reorganization bill was resumed today by the conference committee of the house and senate with indications of an agreement being near at hand. It was expected that virtually a new bill, the result of a compromise, would be ready to be laid before President Wilson next week.

Prospects are that the senate conference will have to give up the volunteer army provision for a reserve of 251,000 men, in view of its regulations by the house. Senate conferees hoped, however, to strengthen the house provision authorizing citizen instruction camps which would afford the nucleus of a volunteer army.

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NEW ENGLAND LEADS

ITS REPRESENTATIVES HAVE
CHARGE OF RURAL CREDITS
BILL IN CONGRESS

Special to The Sun

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—Although far less concerned in the outcome of the rural credits bill than is the great farming section of the west, New England is to have the management of the bill during its discussion in congress. Senator Hollis of New Hampshire was designated to present the measure to the senate and Representative Phelan of Massachusetts was selected to make up the committee report in the house, thus throwing on New England the responsibility of properly placing the measure before congress. And whether or not the bill is approved as a federal measure, on which there seems to be a wide difference of opinion, there is no question in the minds of the men here but what the two New England men in charge have done excellent work in its preparation and they are being warmly congratulated. Referring to the benefit New England would receive under it, Mr. Phelan said: "Comparing it to the sections of the west and south New England is not an agricultural section. It must not be overlooked, however, that Maine is a great potato producing state; that there is an important tobacco production in the Connecticut valley; that New England apples have no equal for flavor and sweetness; that New England (principally Cape Cod) produces more than one-half of all the cranberries raised in the United States, and that the products of the dairy are great."

INSTRUCT BLIND SOLDIERS

PHILADELPHIA, May 10.—Miss Esther Cleveland, daughter of the late president, is studying a system of alphabetical instruction at the Pennsylvania Institute for the Instruction of the Blind in this city to prepare herself to teach soldiers who have lost their sight in the European war.

Miss Cleveland already has qualified as an expert nurse.

M. E. CHURCH CONFERENCE

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., May 10.—After a brief business session of the

general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church today, the remainder of the time was devoted to a service in commemoration of the centennial anniversary of the death of Bishop Francis Asbury, one of the pioneer leaders of the church. Bishop Ashby, speaker, said: "During his life traveled annually approximately 6000 miles on horseback and during each year preached from 300 to 600 sermons."

A resolution was unanimously adopted without debate requesting congress to enact a law prohibiting the sale and manufacture of spirituous liquors in the great farming section of the west. New England is to have the management of the bill during its discussion in congress. Senator Hollis of New Hampshire was designated to present the measure to the senate and Representative Phelan of Massachusetts was selected to make up the committee report in the house, thus throwing on New England the responsibility of properly placing the measure before congress. And whether or not the bill is approved as a federal measure, on which there seems to be a wide difference of opinion, there is no question in the minds of the men here but what the two New England men in charge have done excellent work in its preparation and they are being warmly congratulated. Referring to the benefit New England would receive under it, Mr. Phelan said: "Comparing it to the sections of the west and south New England is not an agricultural section. It must not be overlooked, however, that Maine is a great potato producing state; that there is an important tobacco production in the Connecticut valley; that New England apples have no equal for flavor and sweetness; that New England (principally Cape Cod) produces more than one-half of all the cranberries raised in the United States, and that the dairy products are great."

RICHARDS.

LOST WOMAN RETURNS

MRS. JOHN R. ELDER, WHO DISAPPEARED FROM NEW YORK LAST THURSDAY, RETURNS

NEW YORK, May 10.—Dazed and in a state of high nervous tension, Mrs. John R. Elder, who disappeared from the Hotel McAlpin last Thursday afternoon, returned to the hotel last night just as her husband had given her up for dead.

She reached the hotel shortly before 7 o'clock, and, somewhat bedraggled and much the worse for wear, was taken at once to her room. The day that had elapsed since she left the hotel last Thursday afternoon was absolute blight to her, with the exception of today, when she began to recover consciousness.

Finding herself in Norwalk, Conn., and seeing in New York city newspaper accounts of her mysterious disappearance, she telephoned to her husband that she was alive and safe. Then she boarded a train for the city, where Mr. Elder, who had concluded she must have committed suicide, met her at the station.

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Some future morning Americans who take up their daily papers will see in large type the announcement that the war is over. It may be in a month and it may not be for a year, but coming it surely is. The war will be over and there shall be great changes in the commercial relations of the world. Already the belligerent powers are preparing for the reorganization that will follow. The British trade organizations have pleaded for broader powers for the extension of foreign trade. France, Russia, England and Italy are making mutual tariff concessions and Germany is taking steps to regain what she has temporarily lost.

What shall the result be on the United States? Throughout the world there shall be a newer and a more active competition, a keener business sense in international dealings and a desire in each great power to play the leading part in the commercial world of the future. In this fight for business supremacy the United States has the lead, and if we apply the lessons of the war intelligently we are destined to become the greatest and most influential commercial nation in the world. The opportunity is within our grasp; our success or failure shall depend on the use we make of it.

At present we are the dominant nation in international finance, the greatest credit nation in the world. The dollar rules international finance. Domestic trade is brisk and war orders are still piling in. Calls for American products have come from markets heretofore supplied mainly by Germany, England, France or some of the other belligerent powers, and this nation has developed a new realization of its power and importance.

The situation is not without its dangers. With the ending of the war a great deal of our present commerce shall drop away and the tremendous business that now comes unsolicited must be won in the field of keen competition. Unlike most of our competitors we shall have no great power co-operating with us, and we as a novice in world trade shall have to compete with veterans that have been urged to new efforts by the wastage of war. The real test will not come for some time because the war crushed nations will have to turn to us for the means of rehabilitation. Orders for machinery, for bridges, for building materials, for railroad equipment, etc., shall take the place of the war orders that have kept so many factories humming for the past two years or so.

How is the United States to prepare to take full advantage of her position in world trade at the beginning of the new commercial era? By intelligently anticipating new needs now and by making practical preparations whenever it is necessary to guard against unfair outside influences or to increase our industrial or commercial activity. We must develop our resources; we must promote foreign trade by modern and efficient methods; we must avail of the possibilities of our improved financial system to the full; we must establish an American merchant marine to offset our present dependence on nations that have all they can do to attend to their own affairs and that moreover are our active competitors.

American influences everywhere can prepare the nation for this new era by campaigns of education and intelligent foresight. Boards of trade, manufacturers, exporters, public men in all sections ought to co-operate with the government and more especially the department of commerce which is striving to its fullest extent to extend American foreign trade. America can err through ignorance, indifference or over-confidence. It is for all intelligent Americans to face the future so that this nation may take her rightful place at the head of the commercial nations of the earth.

PRESIDENT'S LAST WORD

President Wilson has taken good care to keep the upper hand in the controversy with Germany, and he has spoiled the adroit attempt of Germany to put the American government on the defensive. While accepting the recent German answer to his note, therefore, he has spoken the last word, showing Germany that its promise to wage submarine warfare in accordance with international law is the main thing and that its attempts to complicate the situation or to make America accept conditions have failed utterly. He warns the German government that any deliberate departure from the terms of the note will cause an immediate break in relations, and reiterates his oft-repeated statement that alleged British infractions of international law do not enter into the case at all. There can now be no real or pretended misunderstanding, because Germany has been told in a few sharp words that the United States will hold her to her promise, despite anything that England may or may not do. President Wilson has sent many notes of protest to England and he will probably send some more, but he is too good a statesman and too honest an American to be made a tool of the German government in warfare between Germany and England. The real power of the president's position has come

employed permanently, and this is typical of general conditions.

THE CYMRIC

Although all details of the sinking of the Cymric of the White Star Line have not as yet come to hand, it is not expected that it will precipitate any trouble between the United States and Germany. We are so used to reading of a "new German crisis" that we look for it as a matter of course but in this instance the liner was sunk, but in this instance the liner was sunk purely as a freight ship, she was loaded with munitions of war and there were no Americans among her crew, five members of which are said to have been killed. It is inferred that no warning was given, but this cannot be ascertained definitely at present. The Washington authorities are striving to establish the exact status of the vessel and to find out the particulars of the sinking, but in all probability Germany will be able to make out a good case in this one instance.

NEW BRIDGE PARAPET

By approving of plans that were later found to be undesirable, Lowell gave the Boston and Maine railroad an opportunity to foist on us a bridge fence that does not come up to the country village standard, and we are now striving to have the plans changed. The experience should teach the authorities to make plans for a type of parapet on the new bridge at Pawtucketville that while being safe and in conformity to the structure will not spoil the view of the river. Lowell has long been proud of the view of the falls and the rapids seen from Pawtucket bridge, and when the river is high hundreds go to the bridge on Sundays and in the evening to enjoy the sight.

It has been stated by some that the accepted plan for the new bridge provides for a solid cement parapet on both sides. If so, it should not be so high that it would interfere with the view, but it should be high enough for safety. Open spaces with balustrades should be provided, or else the cement mason work should be low and should be surrounded with an iron fence. Since the first bridge at Pawtucketville was built the view of the river has been kept open and with the expected development of that section, the view will be still more delightful. Great care will have to be exercised about details so that our beauty spots may be preserved and enhanced.

DAYLIGHT SAVING

The proposal to "save daylight" by advancing the clocks an hour or so every summer is not a new one, but it is going the rounds this year more like a sound proposal than as a theoretical suggestion. Despatches told us a few weeks ago that Germany had adopted it as part of the war policy and now the English house of commons has adopted a motion to that effect by a vote of 170 to 2. The English government is about to introduce a bill embracing the motion, and it is expected that the measure will go into effect Saturday, May 20, when all the clocks will be advanced one hour until further notice. This sanction of Germany and England will give the idea a weight that it has not hitherto carried, and it is possible that all leading nations will set their clocks ahead for half the year in the future. Yet the practice seems childish and another way to get around the question would be to get to work, etc., an hour earlier. Nevertheless, it is difficult to change established habit, and to set the clocks forward one hour would be an easier way of getting folks up an hour earlier than to start work sooner.

LAST WAR ORDER

The General Electric company of Lynn is said to be finishing the last war order which the company expects to receive. On being asked whether this is an indication of coming peace, the manager said that it is due primarily to the development of home munition making in the allied countries. It will be remembered that Lloyd George has spoken frequently of the increased efficiency of England in the manufacture of war supplies, and the same is true of France and Russia. Undoubtedly much of the American supply has been stored up in anticipation of a great offensive on the west front, and the great cost of manufacturing and importing American munitions has made the belligerent nations look for means to supply their needs at home. Though the General Electric company is on its last war order, it expects to keep most of its present workers

SEEN AND HEARD

The case of the Kansas City man who shot himself because his wife left him merely proves that some take it in one way and some in another.

When it's Awkward

A Cleveland judge says it is gross negligence for a woman to carry money in her stocking. Nonsense! But it's deuced awkward when she forgets to take out enough for car fare before leaving home.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Boy From "Hum"

"What is it a sign of when one's lips itch?" asked the dear girl in the parlor scene as she lowered the blinds and seated her person on the end of a sofa built for two. "I don't know, I'm sure," replied the drowsy young man, as he folded his arms and tried to look wise, "but I presume it indicates

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cates some sort of a cutaneous trouble."—Indianapolis Star.

He Liked to Talk

A guest was expected for dinner and Bobby had received five cents as the price of his silence during the meal. He was as quiet as a mouse until, discovering that his favorite dessert was being served, he could no longer curb his enthusiasm. He drew the coin from his pocket and, rolling it across the table, exclaimed:

"Here's your nickel, mamma; I'd rather talk!"—Exchange.

Well Worth Trying

In San Francisco they tell of a resourceful clergyman never at a loss for a retort.

He was once called to the bedside of a very wealthy but stingy man, who thought at the time he was dying.

"If," he gasped to the clergyman, "I leave several thousand to the church, will my salvation be assured?"

Whereupon the divine responded:

"I wouldn't like to be too positive, but it's well worth trying."—Exchange.

Somerville Journal Penclings

Gardening is great fun—especially sitting at the window watching the men you have hired spading up the ground.

Without a can opener and a corkscrew don't be surprised if a picnic turns out to be a failure.

Since "gasoline" rhymes with "kerosene," why spell it with an "e" instead of an "e"?

If you feel that you can't get along after you are dead without an expensive monument, perhaps you had better make provision for one in your will.

Don't be surprised when the first hot weather comes and you get out last year's Palm Beach suit if you find it a little wrinkled.

Warning of Danger

A device that gives warning and stops the machinery when any belt or rope is about to break is now being used in a number of Idaho mines, says the Illustrated World. It continues use proves it to be satisfactory the device is expected to find a place as part of the safety equipment on all belt or rope-driven machinery.

The device is able to detect accidents before they occur because of the fact that the breaking cable always starts first with parts of a worn strand, and in the case of a belt with parting of the lacing. The device detects the loose strand or lacing by means of a delicate feeler rod of thin wire supported from a pivoted bar in such a way that only a narrow space intervenes between the feeler rod or wire and the whirling rope or belt drive. As the strand or lacing unravels it hits the feeler wire, and the wire tilts the delicately balanced bar upon which it is supported. Tilting the bar starts the safety mechanism.

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Going Home

To the city lights, as a flashing road, Beach far through the wintry gloom, And at its end, like a fairy realm, Lies the blessed bower of home.

A plain old house, in a plain old street,

And a chimney's mist uncurling;

But to him who knows the peace within

'Tis the best in all the world.

A book's face down on a friendly couch,

The cat in the easy chair, And Rover, stretched on an ancient rug,

Has the mien of a millionaire.

A pine's at hand for a quiet smoke, Within the fragrant softly gleams, And home and comfort weave a spell Like the poppy's breath of dreams.

And there are faith and the kindly deed,

And the hopeful word that cheers,

And the holy, deathless love,

The crown of life's changeable years.

—Mary Elizabeth Killilea in the Buffalo Commercial.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

The Philippines

In the long run the United States does not want the Philippines as a part of American territory.—Berkshire Eagle.

On Joy!

The automobile's dream: "Here's a dime. Put in 10 gallons of kerosene please."—Portland Express.

Cant' Be Done

Perhaps Villa will try being dead just to see if somebody will say something nice about him.—Brooklyn Times.

Serious This Time

There must not be a repetition of the Vera Cruz farce, whatever the preference of the de facto head of the Mexican republic may be.—Fall River Herald.

But Will She?

The weight of opinion seems to be that Germany will really be good, we are all much obliged and ready to let matters rest as they are.—Brooklyn Enterprise.

Pipes for Mexico!

While we are sending pipes and tobacco to the soldiers in the European war it is well not to forget our own boys in Mexico.—Springfield Union.

Wasted Money

The state expends nearly a half million dollars a year for printing, and a considerable portion of it is wasted, because it is unnecessary.—Lynn News.

Uncle Joe

Uncle Joe Cannon observed his 80th birthday yesterday. He is certainly quite a spry youngster for his age and not an obsolete old smooth bore either.—Fall River Globe.

Root Boom Sick

The Root presidential boom is so low that daily bulletins as to its condition are now being sent out. Autus are requested not to toot in passing.—Burlington Free Press.

Paying for Water

It does not require much argument to prove that royalties which supply oil wells with water should charge for it by measure rather than by flat rate.—Lowell Courier Citizen.

MECHANICAL FARMING

PARIS, May.—The movement in favor of mechanical farming in France is assuming large proportions. Whenever trials have been made with traction ploughs they have been conclusive, and co-operative societies of farmers have been formed to put them into use. A great many have been delivered during the past few months and a great many more have been ordered.

The General Agricultural Society is making a census of different agricultural regions to determine in what localities it is possible to secure large tracts of land which the society will undertake to plough in the autumn, also to ascertain in what localities sufficient acreage of harvest can be combined to justify the sending of traction harvesters.

The machines that the society sends for this work, it is intended to leave in the hands of the farmers individually or organized in co-operative societies. The prospects for the development of this kind of farming is such that it is proposed to organize a school for the training of farm traction drivers. Thus far all the machines come from the United States. French industry will probably be unable to meet any considerable part of the demand for a few years to come.

DR.

LYTTELTON

His Resignation Sensation of Year in Educational Circles

LONDON, May (Correspondence of the Associated Press).—The resignation of the Rev. Dr. Edward Lyttelton from the post of head master of Eton school has been the sensation of the year in educational circles. Dr. Lyttelton belongs to the small set of intellectuals who are called sarcastically "the real poor-German-kindly" class. He has been at the head of Britain's most exclusive preparatory school for twelve years.

But a few months ago Dr. Lyttelton preached a sermon in which he dwelt upon the desirability of an attitude of Christian charity and forgiveness toward the Germans. Incidentally, he advocated terms of settlement of the war which would be designed to leave the Germans without cause for rancor, and specified that if Germany would do the Kiel canal neutral, Great Britain should do the same with Gibraltar.

If there is any class in England to which such gospel would not appeal it is the class which Eton stands for. Several thousand of her graduates are serving in the army, and practically all of her patrons belong to the governing class, called, as is fitting, the war to a finish. Dr. Lyttelton is a son of the fourth Lord Lyttelton. He has been called a traitor to his class, and for some months it has been suspected that his position was an impossible one. No reason has been offered for the resignation, either by the head master or by the governing body of the school.

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AUTOMOBILE NEWS

ANOTHER SERVICE CAR

HARRY PITTS ADDS TO HIS EQUIPMENT—STURDY SAXON CAR IN GREAT DEMAND

The latest development in progress at Pitts' Auto Supply is the addition of another service car. The acquisition of this second car was made imperative because the demand for the other car was too great; hence Harry Pitts has purchased a Ford delivery car which is equipped with every thing which goes to make a service car complete. Tire racks have been installed in this new car, as well as gasoline tanks, and probably the most original and necessary feature is the air tank, which is of sufficient capacity to inflate a number of tires. Hence it is plain to see that when a man on the road telephones in for a new tire, he gets service in the fullest sense of the word: the tire and the air, and if he is a little low on gas he can get some of that too. As all the boys have been instructed in giving "first aid" on the road, there is no waiting for a driver.

Now is the time to buy that car if you are thinking of purchasing a machine. Lowell with its many agencies affords a wide field to choose from. There is a car for any price anyone wishes to pay.

Maude Morrison is enjoying her newly purchased Auburn Six touring car bought through the local agency.

Remember the other fellow when driving your car; he has as much right to the road as you.

George Myers, the Bridge street market man, and veteran autoist has purchased a Pullman Six from George W. Morrison, the local agent.

The V. A. French Auto and Taxi Service, 550 Moody street, is receiving a great deal of patronage in the form of shopping trips, trips to the beaches, etc. One will find this service entirely satisfactory.

The Donovan Harness company is doing a large business in automobile leather goods. If it is anything in leather goods for autos it will be found at this establishment, so says the Donovan Harness Co.

Every autoist will find just what he requires for his machine at the auto supply shop of Fred H. Rourke, 250 Central street. This shop has a complete line of standard makes of well known and reliable tires, gasoline, oils, etc. In the vulcanizing department there is an expert in charge who personally supervises all the work and none but work of the very best is allowed to leave the shop.

One of the remarkable features of the sturdy Saxon car is its extremely low gasoline consumption. To get twenty-six miles out of a gallon of gas with a six cylinder touring car is going some, and that the Saxon can do and that is what Mr. Burgess of the Burgess Motor car company guarantees. There is a big demand for this make of car in Lowell and vicinity. Mr. Burgess experiences not a little difficulty in securing enough cars for his orders, and it is only by dint of argument that he obtains these cars.

Pitts' Auto Supply, Hurd street, today calls attention to the Reliance air container which is a puncture proof inner tube of pneumatic tires. The claims the manufacturers of this product make cover all that can be desired in such a commodity. They say: "The Reliance air container will not injure the casing; it will not heat more than the ordinary tube; it will

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NOTE—In these columns every Wednesday we will give expert advice to motorists on how to repair and operate their machines. Automobile readers of THE SUN are invited to send in questions or problems they may wish to have answered. Such questions will receive attention in due time. Address all communications: Automobile Editor, Sun, Lowell, Mass. Communications must bear the signature and address of the sender, though not for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.

Will you please inform me if the carbon that light oil, but owing to carburetor adjustment is affected by the thicker filament of oil between the different altitudes? I am told that a motorist going from the coast to the Berkshires found it necessary to readjust the carburetor considerably to meet the conditions brought about by the change of altitude. What would cause such conditions?

W. K. Ans. The atmospheric pressure is less at high altitudes than at low; therefore, the suction of the motor would be weakened at high altitudes, changing the balance between the primary air current and the auxiliary air current. The tension on the auxiliary air valve spring would have to be changed little to meet the new conditions. A carburetor with a water jacket would need less adjustment than one without, and one without an auxiliary air inlet would probably need no readjustment at all.

It is said that there are more expensive cars used in New York city than in any other city in the world. Yet the low priced quality car is becoming more and more a favorite in New York's social and business affairs.

In front of one of New York's exclusive clubs, an actual count of cars shows two cars costing over \$1000; three costing over \$2500; two costing more than \$1500; and five Overlands.

Thus it seems that the style and snap of the new Overland is endeavoring itself to the New Yorker as much as its study strength and stamina has to the western farmer who must have, above all, a dependable car.

If the radiator of your automobile has been filled with some anti-freezing solution all winter, it should be thoroughly flushed out with clean water now.

There are literally thousands of small cells in every radiator which gradually become filled with sediment, rust, etc. When this happens, it seriously interferes with the efficiency of the cooling system, and is often directly responsible for over-heating and pre-ignition, etc.

By flushing out the cooling system thoroughly at this time, you will start the summer right, and perhaps avoid expensive repairs, as well.

BIG STRIKE IN CHICAGO

1000 TAILORS JOIN THE 600 CUTTERS AND TRIMMERS WHO STRUCK YESTERDAY

CHICAGO, May 10.—One thousand tailors employed by B. Kuppenheimer & Co. were called out today to join the 600 cutters and trimmers who struck yesterday. Frank Rosenblum, secretary of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers' union, who is in charge of the strike, plans to call out about 2000 workers a day. Police are guarding the plants.

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The Bohn Syphon Refrigerator at Adams & Co.'s has one-piece porcelain provision chambers with full rounded corners.

Discussion of current events was the feature of yesterday afternoon's meeting of the members of the Educational club, which was held at the Y.W.C.A. Those who took part in the discussion were Mrs. Perham, Mrs. Lees, Mrs. Farrow, Mrs. Ames, Mrs. Sargent and Mrs. Black. At the next meeting Mrs. Ames will speak on the "Life of Tennyson," and piano selections will be given by Mrs. Brown.

A meeting of the residents of Pawtucketville will be held at the Pawtucket school tomorrow evening, at which many matters of interest to the district will be considered. Following the business session a splendid entertainment will be provided, including a concert on a violin furnished by the Bon Marche Dry Goods Co. All residents of the village are invited to attend the meeting. President Edward J. Tierney will preside.

An interesting meeting of the men of the Fifth Street Baptist church was held last evening in the vestry of the church. A brief business meeting was held and this was followed by a debate on "Preparedness," those taking part being Mr. and Mrs. Robert Neil and William Redding for the affirmative, and A. L. Kinney, Frank W. Cobb and Herbert Codwell for the negative. The audience acted as judge and its opinion was equally divided.

Liquor Dealers' Convention

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 10.—One-third of the federal government's revenue in 1914 was derived from the liquor industries, declared Secretary Joseph Debar today. In his annual report to the twenty-first annual convention of the National Wholesale Liquor Dealers' Association of America, in session here, of this amount, said Mr. Debar, \$226,000,000 was received from internal revenue and \$19,200,000 as import duties on liquor.

The per capita consumption of liquor in the United States for some years has remained stationary, he asserted, while the per capita increase of sobriety has increased a thousand fold.

Frank M. Gettys of Louisville, addressed the delegates on "The Banker and the Distiller." Lawrence Maxwell of Cincinnati, former United States solicitor general, also spoke.

INQUESTS WERE HELD

Inquests into the deaths of Anthony Souza, Lester Roy Jackes and James Gettins were held before Judge Pickman in police court this morning. Souza was killed on April 16 in an elevator accident at the Lowell Bleachers.

Jackes met his death on April 15 in Dunstable while working for the railroad, and Gettins was killed in Ballardvale on April 16 in a railroad accident. Findings in the cases will be announced later.

PROGRESSIVES HOLD MEETING

NEW YORK, May 10.—Leaders of the progressive party are here today to attend a meeting of the executive committee. The purpose of the meeting as outlined by one of the members is to discuss the entire political situation both as to the candidates and policies and to issue a statement to the public. It is expected that this statement will indicate anew the opportunity of a reunion with the republican party.

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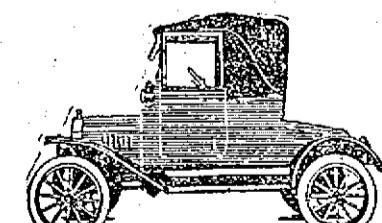
NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 10.—The democratic state convention today adopted resolutions endorsing the administration of President Woodrow Wilson and instructing the Connecticut delegates to the national convention at St. Louis next month to vote for his renomination.

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about how many hours it would take to do same, using two men? A. B.

Ans. Provided no other work was done two men ought to install the crank-shaft of a two-cylinder motor in about two days. A four-cylinder crankshaft would take somewhat longer.

What manifold connection does the Schebler Model H carburetor have?

How long will four dry batteries last? Eight 21-candlepower, 3 1/2-ampere, six volt, nitrogen gas filled bulb.

How can I make sealing compound for dry batteries—something that can be remolded?

C. G. Ans. Three-fourths inch or one-inch United States pipe thread. If the cells are fresh they ought to light the lamp for about eight hours. Dry cells last longer if the work is intermittent than where it is continuous. Putting asphalt makes a good sealing compound, or resin may be used.

My car is equipped with a vacuum feed with tank under the hood on the right side from which the gas falls by gravity to the carburetor. Often I have noticed that my motor runs faster when the left side of the right side is depressed. I can't understand this, as at all times the carburetor is lower than the vacuum feed tank. Can you suggest an adjustment which would overcome this?

P. K. Ans. Depressing the car on one side or the other in some way changes the adjustment of the rod that opens the throttle. Look at the connections from the hand throttle lever to the throttle and see if they are free or if the throttle itself is loose. The vacuum feed has no control over the vacuum speed.

HELPFUL HINTS

Considerable hard work can be avoided on the road if the tire rims are treated occasionally with a little shellac and graphite. Aluminum paint is also good to prevent the head of the tire from rusting on the rim. It is a difficult matter to remove the casing from a rim when it has become rusted.

Numerous complaints are registered because front tires wear out more quickly than the rear tires. The fact is that front tires should last considerably longer than the rear tires, in that they are relieved of driving strains. Excessive wear on front tires is more generally due to misalignment of the front wheels. Drivers forget that they often hit the curb with the front wheels and in this manner throw them out of alignment.

It is not advisable to attempt to straighten a valve stem. While the stem may be strengthened and used temporarily to good advantage, nevertheless it is best to replace the valve with a new one. If this is not done a leaky valve is bound to result. It is more economical and more satisfactory to install a new valve as soon as possible.

Where the vacuum system of gasoline feed is used and a leak is sus-

pected somewhere between the small tank and the large tank, one may check up the fault by blowing into the big tank. Sufficient air pressure must be created in the large tank to force the gasoline up through the main pipe. A leak in the main pipe may be noted under these conditions.

If motor persists in missing when only a light load is being carried, before resorting to adjustments of the carburetor try making spark gap a little wider, presuming, of course, that the magneto is being used. On the other hand, if the motor misses when there is a heavy load on board it may possibly be obviated by closing the spark gap slightly.

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LORD NEAR TOP

Lowell Manager One of
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Games played in the new Eastern league during the first week were featured to a large extent by heavy hitting; the end of the first seven days' play finding thirty-four men singling the old horseshoe for .300 or better.

Egan of the Springfield Ponies and Lavigne of Lowell are tied for the honor of leading the league, each having a perfect average of 1,000, the former having secured two hits in two times up in two games, while the latter made one hit in his only appearance. Murphy of the New Haven club stands third with a mark of .600. He played in one game, collecting three hits in five trips to the plate.

Dowd Is Hitting 'Em

The actual leader, however, is Second Baseman Dowd of Morton F. Plant's New London aggregation, who, in six games has swatted the pill for a mark of .526. Dowd has appeared nineteen times at the plate and has scored ten hits, three of which went for doubles. The next regular who appears among the top notchers is Manager Harry Lord of Lowell; the former Red Sox and White Sox star. Lord's average in six games is .444, the former big leaguer having connected safely eight times in eighteen trips to the plate.

Pitchers Are Backward

The heavy-slacking during the first week is accounted for in a large measure by the condition of the pitchers, who have by no means reached the top of their form. Included also among the leaders at the present time are a goodly number of battery men who have taken part in only one or two games. These will drop out of the select class after one or two more games, and their places will be taken by the regulars.

Or the thirty-four players in the charmed circle of .300 hitters, New Haven leads the league with seven men. Springfield and Lowell each has five, New London and Portland four each. Lynn, three and Bridgeport and Hartford, two each. Worcester is the only club not represented.

There are nineteen pitchers who have not lost a game. The batting averages of the .300 or better hitters and the records of the nineteen leading pitchers, including all games played up to Saturday, follow:

Batting Averages

	G	A	B	H	Ave
Egan, Springfield	2	2	2	2	1.000
Lavigne, Lowell	1	1	1	1	1.000
Murphy, New Haven	1	5	1	3	.600
Dowd, New London	6	13	5	10	.526
Lehman, Lowell	2	6	1	3	.500
Kempton, N. Haven	1	2	1	1	.500
Daniels, Springfield	1	3	0	1	.333
Taylor, Lowell	5	18	7	8	.444
McGinnis, Lynn	3	2	1	3	.333
Fortune, N. London	2	7	2	3	.429
Miller, New Haven	7	21	5	12	.429
Wesler, New London	6	21	3	10	.417
Justin, Springfield	3	5	0	2	.400
Race, Springfield	6	23	5	9	.391
Munn, Lynn	3	9	2	7	.368
Miller, Lawrence	6	25	5	0	.360
Stephens, Springfield	6	20	4	7	.350
Barrows, Lowell	7	24	5	8	.333
Soper, New Haven	6	18	1	6	.333
Clemons, Portland	6	24	7	5	.333
Brown, Portland	6	27	4	9	.333
Browell, Portland	5	21	1	7	.333
Potter, Lynn	5	12	5	4	.333
St. Gaudens, N. Haven	3	12	4	4	.333
Pastore, Bridgeport	2	6	0	2	.333
Woodward, N. Haven	2	5	1	2	.333
Gero, Hartford	2	3	0	1	.333
Mahoney, Lawrence	7	28	3	9	.321
Rodriguez, N. London	6	20	3	7	.318
Burns, New London	5	16	6	5	.318
Grindstaff, Bridgeport	7	29	6	10	.310
Gleason, New Haven	7	23	2	7	.304
Gleason, Lynn	6	20	5	6	.300
Snyder, Hartford	5	10	0	3	.300

	W	L	S	B	H	P.C.
Blitt, Port	2	0	15	11	10	1.000
Hearne, N. L.	2	0	15	5	9	1.000
Alworth, N. H.	2	0	15	6	9	1.000
Pearson, Law	2	0	4	3	9	1.000
Martin, Bpt	2	0	4	3	9	1.000
Ziesler, Jawl	2	0	3	1	14	1.000
Justin, Spfg	1	0	4	1	0	1.000
Salmon, Hfd	1	0	13	4	14	1.000
Jordan, Port	1	0	10	11	6	1.000
Potter, N. L.	1	0	8	11	6	1.000
Martin, N. L.	1	0	8	14	6	1.000
Woodward, N. H.	1	0	8	11	11	1.000
Pennington, Law	1	0	4	4	7	1.000
Daniels, Spfg	1	0	4	5	1	1.000
LaRoy, Hfd	1	0	2	2	11	1.000
Gero, Hfd	1	0	4	1	5	1.000
Woodman, Lynn	1	0	3	5	3	1.000
Martin, Port	1	0	4	1	3	1.000
Fuller, Law	1	0	4	1	3	1.000

GAMES TOMORROW

Eastern League
Bridgeport at Lowell.
New Haven at Lawrence.
Springfield at Lynn.
Hartford at Portland.
New London at Worcester.

American League
Cleveland at Boston.
Chicago at New York.
St. Louis at Washington.
Detroit at Philadelphia.

National League
Boston at Chicago.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.
New York at Pittsburgh.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.

LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
New London	6	1	.556
Lynn	5	4	.556
Springfield	5	4	.556
Lawrence	5	4	.556
Portland	5	4	.556
Lowell	5	5	.500
New Haven	4	6	.444
Bridgeport	4	6	.400
Hartford	3	5	.375
Worcester	1	7	.125
American League	1316	1916	
Won	Lost	P.C.	
Cleveland	13	8	.632
Washington	11	9	.533
New York	11	9	.533
Boston	11	11	.500
Detroit	11	11	.500
Chicago	8	11	.421
St. Louis	7	13	.350
Philadelphia	7	13	.350
National League	1316	1915	
Won	Lost	P.C.	
Brooklyn	10	4	.714
Boston	10	5	.667
Chicago	12	9	.571
Cincinnati	11	11	.500
St. Louis	10	11	.455
Philadelphia	8	8	.500
Pittsburgh	2	11	.105
New York	3	13	.187

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Eastern League
Lynn 6, Bridgeport 2.
New London 12, Portland 1.
Springfield 3, Lawrence 2.
Hartford 2, Lowell 0 (forfeited).

American League
Boston 5, Cleveland 1.
Chicago 3, New York 4.
Detroit 16, Philadelphia 2.
St. Louis 10, Washington 3.

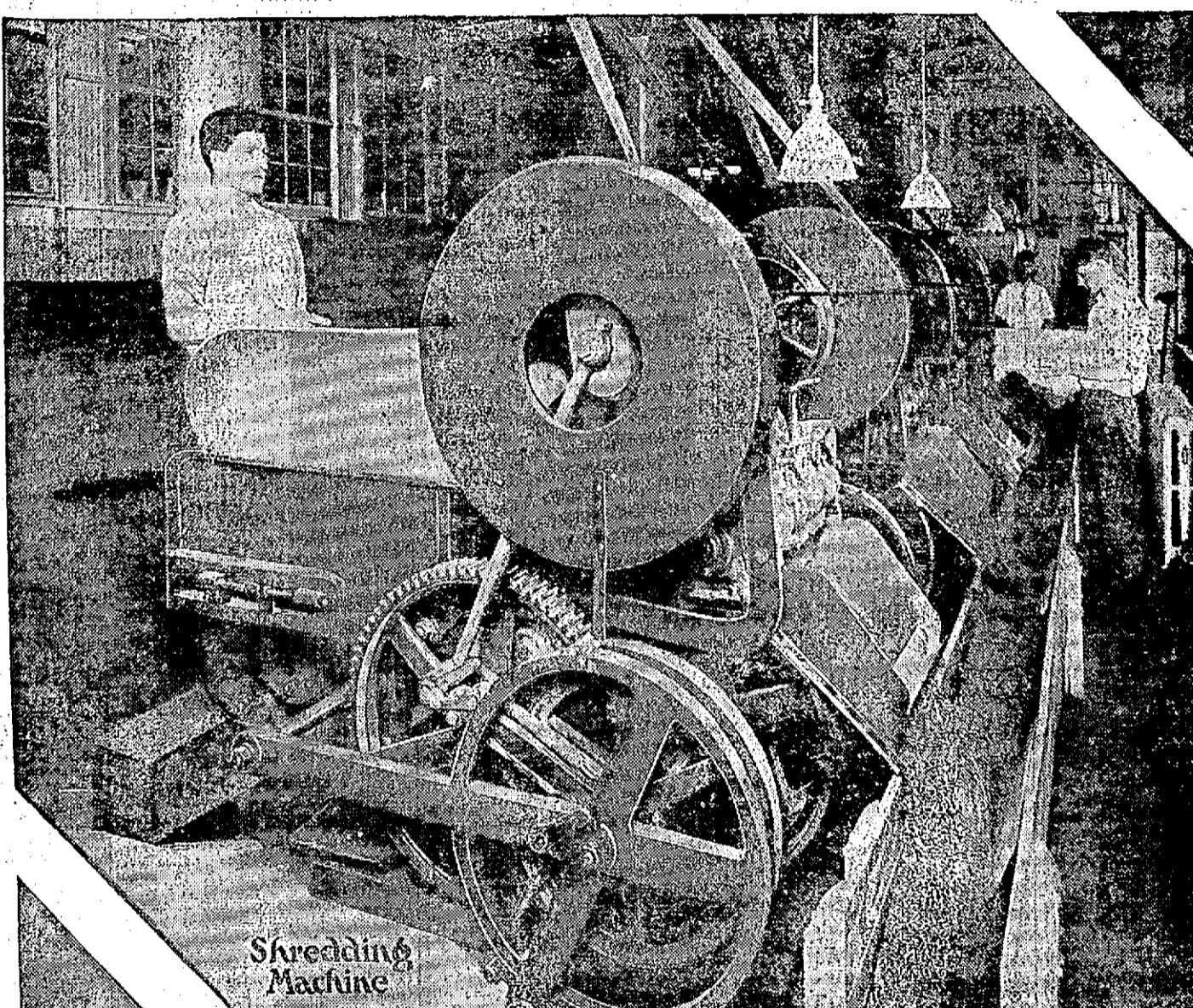
National League
New York 13, Pittsburgh 5.
Chicago 8, Cincinnati 5.

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BERLIN ADMITS U-BOAT TORPEDOED THE SUSSEX

British Destroyer Damaged in Naval Battle Off Belgian Coast —Other War News

A new note on the Sussex case has been handed Ambassador Gerard by the Berlin foreign office. The note is now on the way to Washington.

According to a despatch from Amsterdam admission is made in Berlin, following the investigation into the Sussex incident that it can no longer be doubted that a German submarine torpedoed the Sussex on the supposition that the vessel attacked was a warship.

German Casualties

A British estimate of German casualties since the beginning of the war places them at 3,822,079. The total killed or died from wounds is placed at 661,552. The figures are said to have been compiled from German official lists.

Brazil Demands Indemnity

Brazil will demand indemnity from Germany for the sinking by a submarine of the Brazilian steamer Rio Branco, according to a Rio Janeiro despatch.

Lull In Verdun Region

Paris reports diminishing activity in the Verdun region following the desperate fighting of the past few days. On both banks of the Meuse the artillery fire has slackened, that on the east of the river being described as intermittent.

German Attack Checked

A German attack on the French lines near Moulain-Sous-Touvent was completely checked.

Berlin Reports Gains

Berlin reports the extension of the German positions on Hill 304, northwest of Verdun, recently captured from the French and the driving back of French detachments southwest of the bill.

British Destroyer Damaged

A British destroyer was badly damaged by gunfire during a brief engagement of the Belgian coast on May 8 between British and German torpedo craft, a German admiral statement announces.

TWO FRENCH BALLOONS BROKE FROM MOORINGS, LAND NEAR HANOVER

BERLIN, May 9, via London, May 10.—Two of the French balloons which broke from their moorings in the French lines in France on Saturday landed near Hanover. One of the balloons was manned by a crew of three soldiers, apparently officers, who have not yet been captured.

ATTACK ON VERDUN IS BASED ON CRUSHING EFFECT OF GERMAN ARTILLERY

BERLIN, May 10. (By wireless to Sayville)—The German attack on Verdun is based on the crushing effect of German heavy artillery," writes Max J. Morath, military critic of the "Taegblatt."

"The capture of the smaller fortresses in the west at the beginning of the war by the use of heavy artillery was only a prelude to the artillery operations now in progress.

"The French have not been able to compete with German artillery and ammunition. The enormous losses of the French are due partly to the effect of the German artillery and partly to the tenacity of the French, who will not abandon their trenches."

"Although it is generally considered that attacking forces must be four times superior to those of the defense in the Verdun campaign, the number of German troops engaged is much less than half that of the French. The number of French troops may be calculated at not less than 800,000. This figure represents half of the entire forces which France still has at her disposal for active fighting."

"All the German successes on the eastern and western fronts were gained with numerically inferior forces. Moreover, the Austro-Hungarian troops for a year have been holding back twice their number of the enemy. The principal elements in victory—quality of troops and courage—are steadily working to our advantage."

BELGIAN FORCES HAVE PENETRATED 70 MILES INTO GERMAN EAST AFRICA

PARIS, May 10.—Belgian forces have penetrated 70 miles into German East Africa, according to an official statement issued today by the Belgian war department at Havre. Gen. Tombure, in command of the African expedition, reports that a Belgian column which crossed the German frontier near Ruranga has advanced to the eastern shore of Lake Mohasi, the German forces retreating in the direction of Lake Victoria Nyanza, 70 miles to the east.

CHIEFS OF ALL ALBANIAN CLANS VOTE TO SUSPEND CUSTOM OF BLOOD VENGEANCE

BERLIN, May 9, via London, May 10.—According to a despatch from Sarajevo the chiefs of all the Albanian clans in a meeting there have voted unanimously to suspend for six months the custom of blood vengeance. Blood feuds have been universal in Albania for centuries.

The action of the chiefs was taken under the pressure of the Austrian military leaders operating in Albania. Field Marshal Trollsma, who conquered Montenegro made a personal appeal to the chiefs urging the abolition of the custom.

BRITISH AEROPLANES DROPPED 18,000 POUNDS OF FOOD IN KUT-EL-AMARA

LONDON, May 10.—British aeroplanes dropped 18,000 pounds of food, in addition to mail and military and other stores, in Kut-el-Amara between

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chalmers	265	262	262
Am Beet Sugar	70	72	72
Am Can	554	554	554
Am Car & Fin	58	58	58
Am Dist & L pf	50	50	50
Am Locomo	68	68	68
Am Smelt & R pf	97	96	97
Am Zinc & R pf	118	118	118
Ambar Ref	11	11	11
Amoco	82	82	82
Atchison	103	103	103
Atchison pf	101	101	101
Baldwin Loco	57	54	52
Balt & Ohio	80	80	80
Beth Steel	419	419	419
By Rap Tran	55	55	55
Canadian Pn	165	165	165
Cast Pipe Com	19	19	19
Cent Leather	53	53	53
Cent & Ohio	61	61	61
Chi & Gr W Com	135	135	135
Chi & Gr W pf	37	37	37
Chic I & Pac	22	22	22
Chile	21	21	21
Chi Fuel	41	41	41
Consol Gas	133	133	133
Corn Products	19	19	19
Crucible Steel	80	78	79
Dts Sear Co	51	50	50
Erie	35	35	36
Erie 1st pf	52	52	52
Gen Elec	166	166	166
Gen Motors	427	427	427
Goodrich	76	75	76
Gr North pf	120	119	119
Gr N Ore clt	10	10	10
Illinoian	104	104	104
Ind Marine	24	24	24
Int Paper	10	10	10
Kan City So	28	26	26
Kan City So pf	60	60	60
Ken & Texas	4	4	4
Lehigh Valley	75	74	74
Louis & Nash	114	114	114
Maxwell 1st	58	58	58
Maxwell 2nd	57	57	57
Max Petrol	106	104	105
Missouri Pa	65	65	64
Nat Lead	65	65	65
N Y Air Brake	133	134	134
N Y C & St	102	102	102
N Y West	112	112	112
North Pacific	111	111	111
Ont & West	27	27	27
Pacific Mail	24	23	23
Pennsylvania	56	55	56
Pitts Coal	27	27	27
Pressed Steel	157	157	157
Railroad Co	132	132	132
Ry St Sp Co	42	41	41
Reading	87	87	87
Rep Iron & S	16	16	16
St Paul	95	94	94
Sap Pacific	55	54	54
Southern Ry	97	97	97
Southern Ry pf	62	61	61
Studebaker	132	131	131
Third Ave	61	60	60
Union Pacific	136	134	134
U S Ind Alcohol	143	145	146
U S Rub	56	56	56
U S Rub pf	89	87	87
U S Steel pf	83	82	82
U S Steel 55	105	105	105
Utah Copper	70	70	70
Westinghouse	60	58	59
Western Un	91	91	91

REACTIONARY MOVEMENT

IMPORTANT RAILS LEAD IN AFTERNOON—STEEL FAILED TO RESPOND TO NEW TONNAGE

NEW YORK, May 10.—Quotations at the opening of today's stock market indicated further uncertainty regarding impending developments, particularly in the Mexican situation. Trading showed the usual mixture of advanced and recessions, the more substantial changes being made by specialties while investment issues moved within narrow lines. Willys-Overland and Woolworth were the strongest features gaining 4 and 2 points respectively with a more moderate rise for Mexican Petroleum. Declines varying from fractions to two points occurred in munitions and allied issues. Rails were firm in the main.

The forenoon was marked by a series of mixed movements, suggesting further speculative caution. War shares recovered from their early heaviness but proved unacceptable as leaders. Rock Island was again active but shaded on profit taking. United States steel was firm, probably in expectation of a favorable April tonnage statement and American sugar featured stocks of its special class, being in unusual demand at an advance of 3 points. Detroit United Railways was prominent among utility issues, rising 7½ points on light trading. Bonds were irregular. Rock Island debentures, however, supplementing yesterday's gain.

Important rails led the reactionary movement of the early afternoon. Union Pacific, Reading and New York Central falling a point, with more severe losses in specialties. Steel failed to respond to its new tonnage record and other leaders were lower.

Extreme dullness prevailed in the later dealings, rails and a few specialties making material recoveries from lowest quotations. The closing was irregular.

EXCHANGES

NEW YORK, May 10.—Exchanges, \$473,379,052; balances, \$24,106,967.

COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, May 10.—Cotton futures opened steady, May 12.90; July 12.85; October 12.20; December 13.40; January 13.45.

Futures closed barely steady, May 12.82; July 12.96; October 13.15; December 13.31; January 13.35. Spot steady; middling 13.20.

MISCELLANEOUS

AMERICAN MARKET

BOSTON, May 10.—A firm opening of the local copper shares market today was accompanied by a large volume of trading with subsequent slight recessions. Zinc stocks were most active, and were strong.

MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, May 10.—Mercurial market 3½. Sterling, Sixty day bill, 4.72½; demand 4.76½; cables 4.76½.

FRANCE: Demand 5.91½; cables 5.93½. Marks: Demand 7.74½; cables 7.74½. Kron: Demand 12.83; cables 12.83. Guillers: Demand 41 1/16; cables 41 1/16. Rupees: Demand 6.47; cables 6.45. Rupees: Demand 30 3/4; cables 31 1/4. Bar silver 78 1/2. Mexican dollars 58. Government bond steady; railroad bonds irregular.

TIME LOANS: Firm, 6½ months 2½ to 3; 9 months 3½ to 4; 1½ years 3½ to 4½. Call money easier; high 2½; low 2½; ruling rate 2; last loan 2½; middling bld. 2 offered at 3½.

MUST KEEP MOVING

BROADWAY NO LONGER STANDING PLACE FOR ACTORS, RULES MAGISTRATE TEN EYCK

NEW YORK, May 10.—Broadway, for many years the city's Mecca for actors in future to be kept clear of idle members of the profession unless they keep moving, according to a police court magistrate's decision today. Of six actors arraigned two were fined \$1 each, two were paroled for further hearing and two were permitted to depart upon announcing that out-of-town positions awaited them.

"All Broadway is a stage for actors," Magistrate William Loeb told Magistrate Ten Eyck. "They enter right stage from the Pennsylvania station at 38th street and they enter left stage from the Grand Central station. They take their cues at any and all times, playing principally the roles of mobs and dense crowds at all hours of day and night."

"Broadway must not be used as a standing place by actors to impede the pedestrian," ruled Magistrate Ten Eyck.

\$350,000 LIBEL SUIT

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Henry Lane Wilson, former minister to Mexico, brought a \$350,000 libel suit today in the local courts against Norman Hapgood, the publisher. Mr. Wilson based his suit on publications regarding the Mexican situation.

CAVALRY BEACHES BORDER

MARATHON, Tex., May 10.—The Eighth Cavalry detachment from El Paso, sent to the Big Bend district for protection against bandit raids, was at the border today. Automobiles returning from the neighborhood of Boquillas said they passed the Eighth near McKinney Springs last night. McKinney Springs is only a few miles from Glenn Springs, where the heaviest toll of the last raid was exacted, and it is but 15 miles from Glenn Springs to Boquillas.

The two troops of the 14th cavalry dispatched from Fort Clark camped at Henderson ranch last night. From there Col. Frederick W. Sibley pushed on to Boquillas to take command of the troops under Major George T. Langhorne.

Sub-bases are being established at Henderson ranch and Miller ranch.

INJURED IN RUNAWAY ACCIDENT

J. Brown, a junk dealer residing at 104 Howard street, received a fracture of the right arm in a runaway accident which occurred in Fairmount street this afternoon. Mr. Brown was driving his horse through Fairmount street when the animal became frightened and started at high speed through the street. When the wagon rounded the corner of Mansur street, the driver was thrown forcibly to the ground, fracturing his right arm. The horse was later brought to a stop before any further damage was caused. The ambulance was summoned and the injured man was removed to his home.

BISHOP LAWRENCE ON WAR</h3

SUNK WITHOUT WARNING

All Except Three of Crew of
Cymric Were British Subjects—
No Americans on Board

All except three members of the crew of the White Star liner Cymric, torpedoed off the Irish coast, were British subjects, today's despatches state. Definite announcement comes from American Consul Frost at Queenstown that there were no Americans on board. He also reports that no warning was given and that the wake of a torpedo was seen.

NO AMERICANS ON BOARD

LONDON, May 10.—Wesley Frost, American consul at Queenstown, sent a telegram today from Bantry to the American embassy here announcing definitely that there were no Americans on board the Cymric. Mr. Frost said no warning was given, but that the wake of a torpedo, was seen. He confirmed previous statements that the vessel was not armed. The weather was rough and the members of the crew were in the boats from 1:30 a.m. until 3 p.m.

SURVIVORS TALK

BANTRY, Ireland, May 10.—Details of the sinking of the White Star liner Cymric were given today by members of the crew who were landed here. They say that the torpedo which destroyed the ship struck the engine

K. OF C. STATE DEPUTY

DANIEL J. GALLAGHER, ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY, CHOSEN AT ANNUAL CONVENTION OF ORDER

BOSTON, May 10.—The 23d annual meeting of the Massachusetts state council of the Knights of Columbus was held at the Hotel Somerset yesterday, delegates representing the 141 councils of this jurisdiction being present.

Daniel J. Gallagher, assistant district attorney of Suffolk county, who has been the state secretary for the past two years, was elected state deputy without opposition. The other officers chosen were William T. Day, associate justice of the South Boston court, state secretary; Henry E. Hogan of Boston, state treasurer; James H. Malone of Springfield, state auditor; James E. Donlevy of Springfield, state advocate, and John S. Quinn of Boston, state warden.

To represent this state at the supreme convention of the order at Davenport, Iowa, next August, the following delegates were elected: Dennis E. Gallagher of Lawrence; Joseph P. Curran of Gardner; James P. Duran of New Bedford; Frank J. Flynn of Boston; John H. Gordon of Allendale; Daniel J. Magratty of Chicopee; James M. Menard of Woburn; and William J. Shanahan of Somerville. The delegates elected were: John Burns of Ayer; George P. Carpenter of Peabody; John E. Dahl of Framingham; William E. Hester of Amesbury; John J. Henderson of Hudson; William E. Holden of Waltham; Neil P. Moynihan of Haverhill; John H. Murphy of Granby; Eugene J. O'Neill, Jr., of Chicopee Falls; and Ernest Rougau of North Adams.

DEATHS

CORDINGLY—David Cordingly died suddenly yesterday afternoon at 29 Broadwick street, aged 55 years. He leaves a wife, Norah, one son, John, three sisters, Mrs. Clayton of New Bedford, Mrs. Morris and Mrs. Evans of Fall River, and a brother, Havelock Cordingly. The body was taken to his home, 71 Union street.

Mrs. LAURENT—Mrs. Marie E. Bellegarde, St. Laurent, wife of Charles H. St. Laurent, aged 49 years, 7 months, 27 days, died last evening at her home, 1358 Middlesex street, after a lingering illness. She leaves, besides her husband, a daughter, Marion Irene; three sons, Hubert C., Horace V., and Leon P.; St. Laurent, all of Lowell; her mother, Mrs. Juliette Bellegarde; two sisters, Mrs. F. McNally of Northfield, Vt., and Miss Blanche Bellegarde of this city; also two brothers, Joseph of Swanton, Vt., and Leon Bellegarde of Windham, Vt.

HETU—Pierre Hetu, aged 73 years, an old resident of this city, died last evening at his home, 15 Garnet street, after a lingering illness. He leaves a son, Henri; a daughter, Louise Hetu; three brothers, David of Lowell, George in Canada and Henri Hetu of Fitchburg, Wash.

HODD—The death of Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Hood occurred yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Leroy J. Parkhurst in Lowell street, Chelmsford, following an illness that dated from an attack of the grippe in February. She was 76 years old. She was survived by a son, Fred J. Hood, two daughters, Mrs. Leroy J. Parkhurst and Mrs. Edwin C. Perham of Chelmsford; a brother, John Campbell of North Adams; a sister, Martha J. Campbell of Chelmsford, and a niece, Angelina Campbell of Palo Alto, Cal.

GRAY—Mrs. Agnes A. Gray died yesterday morning at the Lowell General hospital, aged 59 years. She leaves besides her husband, Henry E., two sons and one daughter. She was a member of the Central M. E. church Ladies auxiliary, Y.M.C.A., and Centralville Lodge, D. of R. I.O.O.F. The body was removed to her home, 124 Liley avenue. Funeral notice later.

FUNERALS

FALL—The funeral of Alonzo H. Fall took place May 5 from his home, 68 Forest street, Methuen. Mr. Fall was born in Chelmsford, N. H., and was 82 years old. He was the son of John and Hannah Avery Fall. He came to Lowell when a young man and engaged in the milk business, which he followed for a number of years. He married Louisa Whitney, eldest daughter of the late Geo. B. Whitney, who for many years was a electrician in the Lowell fire department, and in 1902 she died, leaving three daughters, Viola E. of Lowell, Bernice L. and Florence W. of Methuen, and one son, Lester A. of Methuen. In 1904 he married Rebecca Rice and five children were born to them, Helen, Charles, Pearl, William and Riley. About 22 years ago Mr. Fall moved to Lawrence where he was overseer of the yard at the Atlantic cotton mill, which position he held until the mill was sold three years ago. For the past few years he had been engaged in the teaming business. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Davis of the Forest Street Union church, Methuen. Burial was in the Edson cemetery in this city.

THURSTON—The funeral of Mrs. Ethel Thurston took place yesterday afternoon from the home in North road, Chelmsford. The services, conducted by Rev. Edward A. Robinson, pastor of the Central Congregational church, were largely attended and the floral tributes, expressive of the deep sympathy felt, were very profuse and beautiful. The selections, "Lead Me to Light," "Song of Somewhere," were sung by the Congregational choir—Miss Susan Griffith, Miss Alice Stearns, Josiah E. Marshall and Donald Hanson. The bearers were Messrs. Charles Thurston, Clarence Thurston, Harry Nichols and Miss Ethel Riley. Burial was in the family lot at Westlawn cemetery, Lowell. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Perham.

RILEY—The funeral of Mr. Patrick Riley took place this morning at 8:30 a.m. from the home of his son, Edward, 133 Coburn street, and was largely attended. A funeral high mass was celebrated in St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Lynch. The burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery where Mr. Lynch performed the burial service. The bearers were Messrs. John J. Reilly, Wm. Hurley,

Johns, O'Brien, Wynne, Callahan, Dougherty, Dacey and Shea.

KIMBALLS—Messrs. E. L. Kimball, Pierce, Martel, P. Clark, Chandler, G. Clark, Ritchie, Brennan, Bob Clark and Myrick.

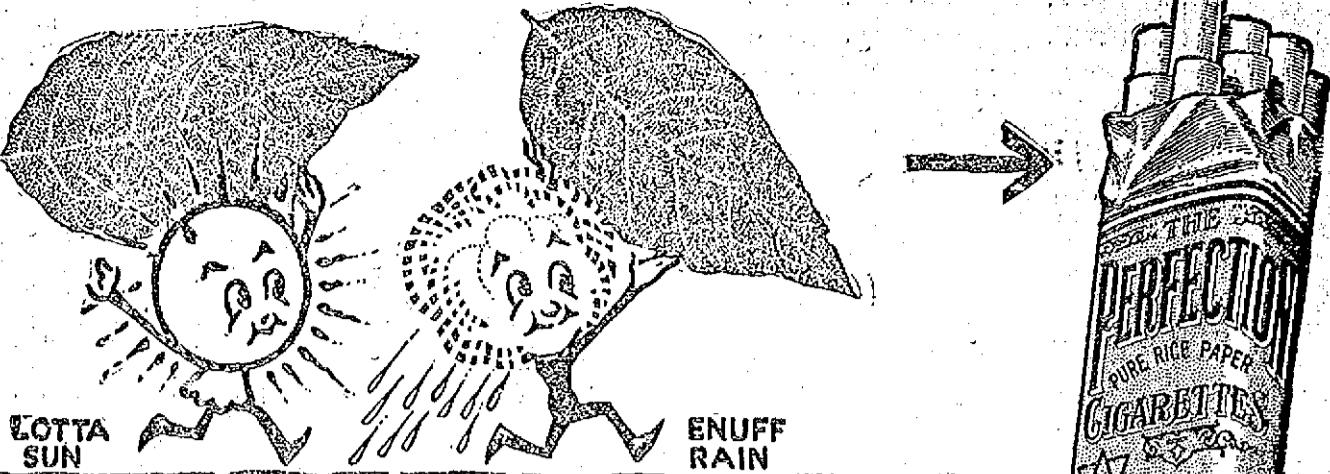
JEWELERS—Messrs. Whipple, Farrell, Jodoin, Fadden and Allen.

Bridge Streets—Messrs. Driscoll, Panter and McKenzie.

Kittredges—Mr. Edward W. Dooley.

Shirt waist party, Fr. No. Billerica.

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him, instead ordering them to leave the field immediately.

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BOWLERS HELD BANQUET

PRIZES AWARDED LEAGUE WINNERS—PEASANT JOLLIFICATION AT RICHARDSON HOTEL

Over 75 rollicking good fellows, most of whom were members of the various teams in the City Bowling league this season, assembled in the dining room of the Richardson hotel last evening and sat down to one of the most enjoyable banquets of the year. The rollicking and fighting spirit that marked the progress of the bowling league season were forgotten, and the members of both the victorious and defeated teams joined together for a night of jollification.

The bowlers and their guests gathered around the festive board about 8:30 o'clock and enjoyed a sumptuous banquet of several courses. During the musical entertainment, which rendered several of the latest song hits, William Gilbride acted as accompanist and aided materially to the success of the program.

After the banquet Ernest L. Kimball of the Kimball System team, the toastmaster of the evening, called to order and welcomed the bowlers and guests.

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High marks—Reuben, James McDonough and Bernard Golden. Many beautiful tributes were placed on the grave by the following: Mr. and Mrs. B. Golden and family, the family of the deceased, Miss Etta Callahan, Mr. and Mrs. John Reilly, Mr. and Mrs. Miss Ross Riley, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbride and Mrs. Lettie, Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Riley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Curley, John Curtin, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Purcell, Miss Rose G. Riley. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

KOWALEVSKA—The funeral of Jadwila Kowalevska, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanislaus Kowalevska, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 81 High street.

Services were held at the Holy Trinity church with Rev. Alexander Ogniewski officiating. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Son.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of my dear wife, Jennie Noble O'Connor, who died May 10, 1914.

Second anniversary high mass of requiem will be sung at the church of the Sacred Heart Saturday, May 13th, at 8 a.m.

DR. J. B. O'CONNOR

FUNERAL NOTICES

CORDINGLY—The funeral of the late

David Cordingly will take place on Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock from his late home, 71 Union street. High mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Peter's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

CARRONI—The funeral of Miss Julia A. Carroll will take place Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock from the home of her sister, Mrs. Timothy P. Reilly, 32 High street.

At 9 o'clock the Mass of requiem at St. Michael's church will be said.

Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Funeral Director James W. Kennedy.

KEATING—The funeral of Mrs. Eliza Keating took place Thursday morning at 8:30 from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Timothy P. Reilly, 32 High street.

At 9 o'clock the Mass of requiem at St. Michael's church will be said.

Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Funeral Director James W. Kennedy.

WHITE—The funeral of Mrs. Anna

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THE MAN IN THE MOON

A Pawtucketvillian tells me the feeling up that way is that the people regard the bridge fight over and that all hands are jubilant. A bridge of concrete! And to be built this summer! Pawtucket square established and new street lines adjusted! Bigger and better street cars—which mean bigger and better service! All this and more old Pawtucketville sees. What we shall soon see will be sufficient for the day thereof; and will be the forerunner of what shall soon follow after. Surely no tenement house will ever stand at the entrance of this bridge; nor for long shall the natural beauty of the rapids be marred by rows of unsightly buildings or any sort of structure. It may be said of the Pawtucketville gentlemen who have been prominently identified with this new bridge movement that they have had no private axes to grind, that no land scheme or other interests had any relation to their motive. They have worked simply for the betterment of Pawtucketville in particular and for the city's general benefit. When the new bridge is opened—well say!

Walter C. Bruce.

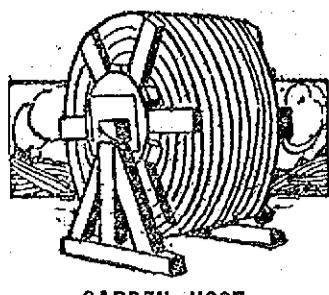
Walter C. Bruce's reputation as a singer is not confined to his own city alone. He has traveled abroad and abides in many cities and towns that frequently demand his services at all sorts of gatherings from private soirees to grand concert. Recently he went to Milford, N. H., and sang in a concert, the seventh annual by the Milford high school. In Milford Walter is a prime favorite. A Milford friend who attended this concert writes me that he never sang better and that the big audience present was more than pleased with his work. Mr. Bruce sang several solos, among them being "The Postilion" by Molloy; "Sunset" by Buck, and "The Silent World is Sleeping," also by Buck. He appeared in duet with Mrs. Desparois in "The Moon Has Raised Her Lamp Above," from Benedict's "The Lily of Killarney" and sang the solo part with chorus, "Father, from a Distant Land," from Gode's "The Crusaders." From this partial mention we may judge that the concert was of unusual high class.

Safety Blades Dangerous

Safety razors after due acquaintance may be all that their title signifies; but after using the blades should be as carefully put away as their old-time relatives. I know of a man who twice within a week, while pawing over a mixture of nails, bolts, screws, etc., received some nice gashes. At best these cuts are bothersome and possibly a cut received from a rusty or infected blade might result in something serious. Having had some personal experience on account of other people's carelessness, I'm in a position to give voice to a word of caution. Be careful, when you are fumbling around in odd and dark places seeking for a collar button or perhaps a tack, that a discarded safety razor blade isn't in position to give the top of your finger a nice sickle gash.

Fencing the Waterways

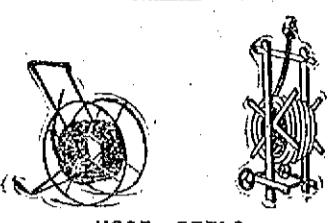
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Date approaches to Dover are very attractive. Now it had been nearly 80 years since I had seen this town, and I fear that I didn't retain very favorable impressions of the place. Since the other Sunday those unfavorable impressions are no more. Dover, another New Hampshire town, where settlement dates away back in New England's history, is a very interesting and beautiful place. To Dover, then, shall go again; and thus I square with myself.

Our little car, which was a Detro (that's a new one), didn't out much ice on the roads to style and grandeur. Beside the big Packards, Chalmers, Pierce-Arrows, Buicks, Cadillacs and such, one outfit was as a trailer alongside a St. Bernard, but we got just the same—up hill and down dale without a skip or a hitch. Nor did we buy but three gallons of gas.

Altogether the 30th of April was a great day for me. It gave something beside mere pleasure; it left with me impressions of new scenes and fresh faces and gave me a mingling of the wind of the mountains and the breath of the sea. It was a day well spent.

MAN IN THE MOON.

POINT DIRECTLY OPPOSITE EL PASO, TEXAS, SCENE OF RECENT MOMENTOUS MEETING

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—Culiacan Juarez, the scene of the recent momentous meeting between General Obregon, minister of war in the Carranza cabinet, and Major Generals Scott and Funston, is the subject of today's war geography bulletin, issued by the National Geographic Society from its Washington headquarters, which says:

"Situated on the right bank of the Rio Grande, directly opposite El Paso, Texas, and 1223 miles north of Mexico City, the very name of the city of Juarez suggests noteworthy events in the history of the southern republic, and the conferences which have been held there recently by the representatives of the military forces of both the American and Mexican governments add another interesting chapter to the community's annals.

"For more than 200 years Juarez was known as El Paso del Norte (the pass of the North,) and it was not until 1855 that the city was renamed in honor of one of Mexico's greatest statesmen and patriots, Benito Juarez, who established his capital here during the troublous times when Napoleon III of France was abetting the ill-fated Maximilian in his effort to found an empire in the Western hemisphere.

"Juarez, a full-blooded Zapotec Indian born in an obscure village near Oaxaca, succeeded to the presidency of Mexico when Comonfort, weary of the internal strife, quit the job and when to the United States, leaving affairs in the hands of his chief justice. Immediately Juarez was involved in civil war by the assumption of the executive office by Zuloaga. It was while trying to displace his rival that the Indian patriot endeavored to borrow money from the United States and, as a part of the bargain, he agreed to a treaty the terms of which brought forth a storm of protest from England and France. By this treaty, which was never ratified, the United States was to have perpetual and unrestricted passage across both the isthmus of Tehuantepec and the northern states of Mexico, and the right to employ American troops to enforce these rights as well as to protect American citizens against levies and loans.

"A short time later Juarez precipitated an international crisis by his decision to suspend for two years the payment of interest on the national debt. England, Spain and France sent to Vera Cruz to force payment, but England and Spain soon withdrew, while France, her soldiers once on Mexican soil, decided to press her claims and gradually Napoleon's scheme for a western empire began to assume definite form. His scheme eventually in the abortive attempt to establish Archduke Maximilian of Austria on the throne of the Montezumas.

"It was during the famous defense of the city of Puebla against the invading French army that a young Mexican soldier, who was to become

the most conspicuous figure in the history of modern Mexico, distinguished himself by his bravery and his exceptional powers of leadership. This young hero was Porfirio Diaz, now known to fame as "the strong man of Mexico."

"It was in the center of the international bridge which connects Juarez and El Paso that President Taft and President Diaz (he who had been Juarez' military right hand) met in 1910, upon the occasion of the centenary celebration of Mexican independence.

"The traveler who passes through El Paso on his way to Juarez may choose any of four times by which to set his watch—Central, Mountain, Pacific and Mexican. Mountain time is an hour slower than Central, white Pacific is an hour slower and Mexican is 24 minutes faster than Mountain.

"On account of its bull-fights and cock-fights, Juarez has long been a city of feast-day pilgrimage for Americans in search of a new sensation. The Spaniards, who became addicted to the bull-fight habit in the 12th century, during the occupation of the Iberian peninsula by the Moors, introduced this sport into Mexico shortly after their overthrow of the Aztecs. The fights in Juarez are not so elaborately staged as those in Mexico City, for native bulls are used customarily, and these have not the ferocity of the animals imported by the capital from Andalusia, at a cost frequently of \$1,200 (Mexican) each.

"An important bull-fight day the population of Juarez tops the 10,000 mark, while there is a relative temporary decrease in the size of the fifth city in Texas—El Paso, which had only 736 men in 1880 but which had grown to more than 39,000 in 1910."

FOR AN INVESTIGATION

LOWELL MAN ONE OF EIGHT DEMOCRATS TO VOTE FOR INVESTIGATION OF SWIGS ELECTION

Special to The Sun

STATE HOUSE, Boston, May 10.—Representative Dennis A. Murphy of Lowell was one of the eight democratic members of the house who voted yesterday for the order providing for an investigation of the circumstances attending the election of Rep. Simon Swig of Boston. The order was defeated, after a debate lasting all day, by a vote of 105 to 118.

The other members of the Lowell delegation voted thus:

For the order: Representatives Crossby and Jewett.

Against the order: Representatives Achin, Lewis and O'Connell of Lowell; Colburn of Dracut and Bunting of Methuen.

Extending Car Lines

Action on the bill permitting the public service commissioners to order the Bay State street railway company to extend its tracks through Varnum avenue was again postponed in the senate yesterday, the latest postponement being for one week. Senator Gordon of Springfield stated that the public service commissioners desire to secure an amendment to the bill, but from another source it was learned that the amendment which the senator will offer next week will be one providing that the act shall not apply to franchises thereafter granted. That is, the commission will have the power to compel a street railway company to make use of a franchise granted prior to the passage of the act, but its power will stop there.

The duties of the manager of the complaint bureau will be to advise with people who have complaints to make against insurance companies, to investigate those complaints, where necessary, and to use his efforts to bring about a mutual understanding and amicable adjustment.

"The examination will include the following subjects: A sworn statement of education, training and experience; the writing of an essay of not less than 1000 words on some subject (to be assigned at the examination) having to do with insurance law; special questions to test out applicants on their knowledge of (a) the fundamental theory or principle of insurance law, (b) insurance statutes, and (c) court decisions, particularly with reference to the settlement of losses.

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CHORAL SOCIETY CONCERT



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MRS. MARIE SUNDELIUS

Soloist

Composer Hears "The Highwayman"—Concert With Mrs. Sundelius and Mr. Werrenrath

Real music and in good measure was the offering of the Lowell Choral society last evening at Keith's theatre. It was the annual spring concert, but the term "concert" scarcely describes it. Rather was it an evening of inspiration and delight to the large and distinguished audience that packed the theatre. The chorus of the Lowell Choral society may have done as well in recent offerings but it has certainly never done better. The soloists last evening sang over the footlights and right into the hearts of the audience. With the accompaniment of instrumental music of a really high standard, the concert comprised a musical ensemble that made Lowell for one evening at least forget the "pops," Boston Symphony, Boston Opera and all those other things that local culture likes to talk about. If there were not several from Boston in the audience of last evening, theirs is the loss.

The program included "Gallia" by Gounod with its solemn scriptural text and "The Highwayman" with the music by Deems Taylor set to the romantic poem of Alfred Noyes. This was followed by the whimsical "Song Cycle, The City of Joy" by Deems Taylor and a concert program with selections by the soloists of the evening. Mrs. Marie Sundelius, soprano and Mr. Reinold Werrenrath, baritone. There were also some classic numbers on the cello by Carl Webster, numbers by the choral society and orchestral offerings by the Boston Festival orchestra. Eusebius G. Hood of Nashua conducted and Wilfred Kerrshaw was accompanist.

The music of "Gallia" is occasionally heard in solemn church services. The text is from the biblical "Lamentations of Jeremiah" in those terrible and thrilling passages in which the prophet pictures the departed glory of Jerusalem and cries out in awful anguish of heart: "Behold and see if there be any sorrow that is like unto my sorrow." There is a mournful prelude on the strings and the chorus sings in a soft subdued tone that pictures the lamentation of the Jews looking at the desolation of the city that was full of people. The main appeal of the elegy is in its sentiment as the music is almost monotonous, but as given last evening it was thrilling. The chorus kept the background of sobbing sorrow secondary and against this the lovely voice of Marie Sundelius soared in an intense cry that rose to the final invocation, "Jerusalem, Jerusalem! O turn thee unto the Lord thy God."

The music of "The Highwayman" is the work of a man who must have loved and thoroughly understood the text. Mr. Deems Taylor has been doing serious work for only a few years, but the promise of the work produced last evening is a presage of great things. The cantata was written for the fifth festival of the MacDowell Memorial association and given its first performance at Peterboro, N. H. on August 19, 1914, with Mr. Hood conducting. Mr. Deems Taylor was present last evening and once again he saw a performance under the direction of Mr. Hood who is thoroughly enthused over the music. The story gives great opportunity for romantic variety and the composer made the most of it, introducing several distinct themes that are interwoven and contrasted with subtle effectiveness. There is a ghostly quality in the opening descriptive passages that show the daring rider galloping up to the old inn door where Bess waits for him "plaiting a dark red love knot into her long black hair." How beautiful and romantic it is in the grand old fashioned way—and how poignant! The composer knows well the value of suspense, and after making one feel the tragedy that is surely in the air, and after the marching of the pitiless soldiers—King George's men—the chorus tells how Bess stood up straight and still and "warned him—with her death." The chorus did splendid work all through, keeping the volume subdued except where it was needed to tell effectively. There was ill and readiness of attack in the earlier passages that soon gave way to deliverance mood of mourning, and the answer to the lead of the conductor was ever intelligent.

Reinold Werrenrath made an ideal highwayman, both in voice and appearance—highwayman in a story, of course)—young, handsome and vigorous, he sang the baritone solos with power and with great expression. His solo in Part I was perfect in its reflection of the spirit of the composition, and in the descriptive passages he made one feel the enthusiasm and the grandeur of the music that rises over the tragedy. The effectiveness of his voice in music of this sort is

ARTHUR C. SPALDING
President

singing in Gallia was impressively beautiful and her magnetism won the audience on her first appearance. Her voice is still fresh and young, but she has all the technical perfection of singers who have less voice and more experience. In the concert numbers her "Ave Maria" was exultant in its power, the Swedish folk song had a rollicking tilt that caused a couple of laughter through the house, and the "Fairy Tales" was like a woodland brook when the ice is melting. Dunhill's setting of the wonderful words of Yeats, "The Cloths of Heaven," was beautifully rendered, albeit the program had it the "clothes" of heaven, which, judging from pictures of the angels, is a negligible quantity.

The Choral society gave a fine rendering of "Drink to Me Only with Thine Eyes," and the closing Kermesse from "Faust" was as spirited as one could wish.

Collectively and individually, its members deserve all the praise they get from Mr. Hood—after rehearsals. Once again the Boston Festival orchestra gave pleasure to a Lowell audience. The Tchaikowsky suite of whimsical fancies was stimulating, somehow or other suggesting Peter Pan and fairy stories. They are all Dances that, and they make people feel like dancing on their heads. At the abrupt close one is up in the air, but a laugh and a word to one's neighbor restores equilibrium. Mr. Webster gave a most effective rendering of Dvorak's "Indian Lament" and another number that reflected the little Dances.

Throughout the program merited all the praise that was bestowed upon it by an appreciative audience. Among those present was Tallarico, the pianist, and practically every musician in Lowell who is known as such. Mr. Hood, Mr. Spalding and all who contributed to the success of the occasion may feel pardonably proud of the result.

Following are the officers of the society for the present season:

Arthur C. Spalding, president; George S. Drew, vice president; Samuel Kerrshaw, treasurer; Harry Stocks, secretary.

Executive committee—Thomas P.

Boulder, Dr. Walter E. Knapp, David Hird, Noble M. Charlton, Miss Winifred C. Haggerty, Mrs. L. J. Hanson, Harry Prlestly, Miss Mary E. Reilly, Mrs. Frank W. Hurd, Miss Katherine Jeanette, Miss Margaret M. Sparks, Mrs. C. H. McIntire, Miss Rita B. Thompson, and officers ex-officio.

CITY HALL NEWS

Continued

any more business before the meeting, Commissioner Putnam produced water department bills against the street department for water used in street watering, the total amount being over \$2000, including last year's bill for \$1000.

"This bill was rendered last week," said Mr. Putnam.

"But you never get it—I promise you that," said Mr. Morse.

Mr. Putnam then called attention to the fact that the street department, when he was superintendent of streets, used to pay its water bills in advance.

Mr. Morse—"Did you always do that?"

Mr. Putnam—"Yes sir, always."

Mr. Morse—"When I was superintendent of streets they didn't."

Mr. Putnam then announced that there were bills against the street department other than bills for water, but he seemed disposed to push the others aside if Mr. Morse would agree to pay for the water.

Mr. Putnam, as was stated in The Sun yesterday, transferred 20 men from the maintenance payroll to the filtration plant payroll because he found that his appropriation for maintenance was running dangerously low.

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NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

Senate Substitutes Revised Draft of State Board's Milk Bill Creating Board of Control

BOSTON, May 10.—The state senate yesterday to the consideration of the bills to regulate the production and sale of pure milk, and by a vote of 31 to 13 substituted for a bill that was on the calendar the revised draft of the one originally drawn up by the state department of health.

The committee on agriculture and public health, sitting jointly, reported several days ago "no legislation necessary" on the milk question, but when the report came up in the senate on Monday Senator Cummings of Worcester persuaded the senate to substitute for the report a bill which authorized the state department of health to prohibit the sale of milk produced in a community where communicable diseases prevailed and also to compensate the producers for the loss of such milk.

Many members of the senate understood Senator Cummings to say on Monday that his bill was satisfactory to Mr. McLaughlin of the state department of health. For that reason they did not oppose the Cummings bill, and Senator Jackson of Lynn, who had intended to move a substitution of the bill drawn by the state department of health, withdrew his bill and assented to the substitution of the Cummings' bill.

Shift from Cummings' Bill
It was stated in the debate yesterday.

RESISTANCE TO DISEASE

Debility is a loss of vitality, not affecting any one part of the body particularly but the system generally. It is dangerous because it reduces the body's resistance to disease.

When debility follows acute diseases, convalescence is slow and the strength does not return as it should. An attack of the grip often results in debility that persists for months. Everybody recognizes that the remedy for debility is to build up the blood because the blood goes to every part of the body and an improvement in its condition is quickly felt throughout the system. The problem in every case is to find something that will enrich the blood.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills suit most people's need because they are non-alcoholic and they really build up the blood and strengthen the nerves. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are perfect for growing children and for men and women whose nervous energy has been overdrawn. Try them whenever your blood is thin.

Your druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills or they will be sent by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes \$2.50 by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N.Y. Write today for free booklets on the blood and nerves.

Teachers' Examination



Office of the Superintendent of Schools

Lowell, Mass., May 3, 1916.

On Saturday, June 24, 1916, at the Lowell high school, Kirk and Anne Sts., beginning at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, there will be a public examination of applicants for Lowell teachers' certificates of the third grade; these certificates apply to the primary and grammar grades of the schools.

Persons to be eligible to take this examination must be graduates of colleges or normal schools and must have had two years' successful experience as teachers.

All applicants must signify their intention of taking the examination by notifying the superintendent of schools in writing at least three weeks before the date of such examination, at which time the list will be closed and after which time no new names will be added.

The subjects of the examination will be Arithmetic, English, Grammar and Language, United States History and Civil Government, and Principles and Methods of Teaching.

Applicants are advised to forward certificates of graduation and successful experience at the time of sending notice of intention to take the examination.

HUGH J. MOLLOY,

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Auctioneer

SIMON B. HARRIS

OFFICE, ROOM 4, CENTRAL BLOCK

Heirs' Sale Thursday, May 11th, at 2.30

O'Clock P. M.

Will be Sold at Public Auction on the Premises, the Following

Described Real Estate

Consisting of a cottage containing 7 rooms, in good condition, well arranged, and modern conveniences, steam heat, known as No. 72 Loring street. The lot contains about 2300 square feet of land. Any person looking for a snug little home, well located in the Highlands, will do well to attend this sale, as this is one of the desirable places to live in.

Immediately after the sale of the above described parcel of real estate, we will proceed to sell the adjoining realty, known as No. 68 Loring street, at corner of Loring street, consisting of a two and a half story dwelling containing 9 finished rooms with modern conveniences, in good rentable condition, always occupied and the present tenant would be glad to remain a tenant. Being located on a corner makes it very desirable.

Both of these pieces of Real Estate are in a very desirable part of the Highlands, within one minute's walk of the Westford, Highlands and Middlesex street electric cars, close to the square on Westford street at the junction of Loring, Pine, Westford and Hastings streets; close to churches, schools, a number of stores and sub-post office. No better location for residential or renting property to be found in this locality. Attend the sale and secure a home of your own.

Terms: On the first described property, One Hundred Dollars (\$100) must be paid to the auctioneer when the property is struck off. On the second parcel, One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150) must be paid as soon as the property is struck off. Other terms will be made known at the time and place of sale.

Make all inquiries of the auctioneer, Simon B. Harris, at his office.

By order of the Heirs.

LOWELL MASS. WEDNESDAY MAY 10 1916

PRICE ONE CENT

BAD MAN KILLED

De La Garza, Smuggler, Informer of Villa, Shot by American Trooper

MARATHON, Tex., May 10.—Demetrio de la Garza, once known as the "bad man of the Big Bend country," met his death in a long range rifle duel with an American trooper on Monday in the hills near Boquillas. The cavalryman not only killed de la Garza but the Mexican's companion as well. De la Garza kept a small trading store on the American side of the Rio Grande, but ranchers have long known him as a smuggler. News of his death was brought here today by J. W. Gudson, a truck contractor.

Chairman Warner wanted to know how many of these dishonest contractors there were. Representative Sawyer said there probably are a dozen or more, most of whom operate in one town after another. Hence the farmers right and left, and then move out of the state.

Representative Waterman L. Whigham, Wilfred Wheeler, secretary of the state board of agriculture; Representative George P. Drury and F. M. Harwood, general agent of the dairy bureau, spoke in favor of the bill.

George Albrecht opposed the bill. He admitted that many farmers in Massachusetts are fleeced, but he did not think it fair to compel the small, honest contractor to furnish a bond which he would find it almost impossible to obtain.

FRENCH MILITARY MEDAL

HARVARD GRADUATE IN FLYING CORPS CITED FOR SECOND TIME IN ARMY ORDERS

PARIS, May 10.—Elliot Cowdin of New York city, a graduate of Harvard, has just received the military medal and has been cited for the second time in army orders for his brilliant aviation exploits as a member of the Franco-American flying corps. The citation says of Cowdin, who is now a sergeant:

"He engaged voluntarily for the duration of the war and has shown remarkable bravery, dash and devotion. He defeated an enemy aeroplane in the recent operations and has attacked 12 enemy machines, of which one has been destroyed."

This is considered a notable tribute to the American flying legion which is composed of more than 30 Americans, most of them university graduates.

A bureau has been opened at 16 Champs Elysees for the purpose of recruiting additional American aviators.

LICENSE BOARD HEARING

REMONSTRANCE AGAINST POOL ROOM LICENSE ON DUTTON ST.—MINOR LICENSES GRANTED

MARSEILLE, April 25 (Correspondence)—The second Russian contingent for France landed here today after a land journey of 1500 miles from Moscow by the Trans-Siberian railway to Port Dalny, Manchuria, and thence 10,000 miles by water transport through the Yellow and Chinese Seas, Indian Ocean, Red Sea, Suez canal and Mediterranean sea.

The total number of Russian troops now landed, supplied with French rifles and sent on to Camp Mirabeau, three or four miles along the coast from Marseilles, for a two days' rest before being conveyed to the large French depot at Mally, near Troyes, to prepare for service at the French front, is estimated at something under 10,000.

Since the foregoing was written three additional contingents of Rus-

sian troops have landed at Marseilles. On the basis of the size of the first two contingents something like 25,000 Russians are now in camp or in the field on the western front.

The voyage of the Russians constitutes a record in military transport history for distance and diversity of route. The soldiers are men specially chosen from every division of the Russian army. They were concentrated in Moscow under the supervision of Gen. Lochnitzky, who landed with the first contingent last Thursday.

There was bad weather at one or two periods, but on the whole the transit was unmarked by exciting incidents.

The arrival of the Russians was a great surprise to the general public in France, their coming being known only to officials and to only a few journalists in Paris. On the other hand, the sending of the contingent was in all probability perfectly well known to the German authorities, as two attempts were made by the Germans to attack the transports.

The first attempt was made while they were near Shanghai, but failed. It was said, owing to the non-arrival of the German heavy gun ammunition. The second attack was planned to take place near Singapore, but warning reached the Russians by wireless from the British admiral in wreathes from the British empire, like Canada, Australia, or South Africa, an Irishman returning to arms to achieve the independence of his country is doing only what Englishmen will do if invaded and conquered by the Germans. Such an Irishman is as much in order morally in accepting assistance from the Germans as England is in accepting the assist-

CONDAMNS EXECUTIONS

George Bernard Shaw Criticizes Action of England in Shooting Irish Rebels

LONDON, May 10.—George Bernard Shaw, discussing the executions of the Sinn Feiners in an open letter today, says:

"My view is that men who were shot in cold blood after their capture or surrender were prisoners of war, and it was therefore entirely incorrect to slaughter them. The relation of Ireland to Dublin castle is in this respect precisely the same as the Balkan states toward Turkey or Belgium toward Great Britain. Until Dublin castle is surrendered by the United States to Great Britain, nothing can prevent it."

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